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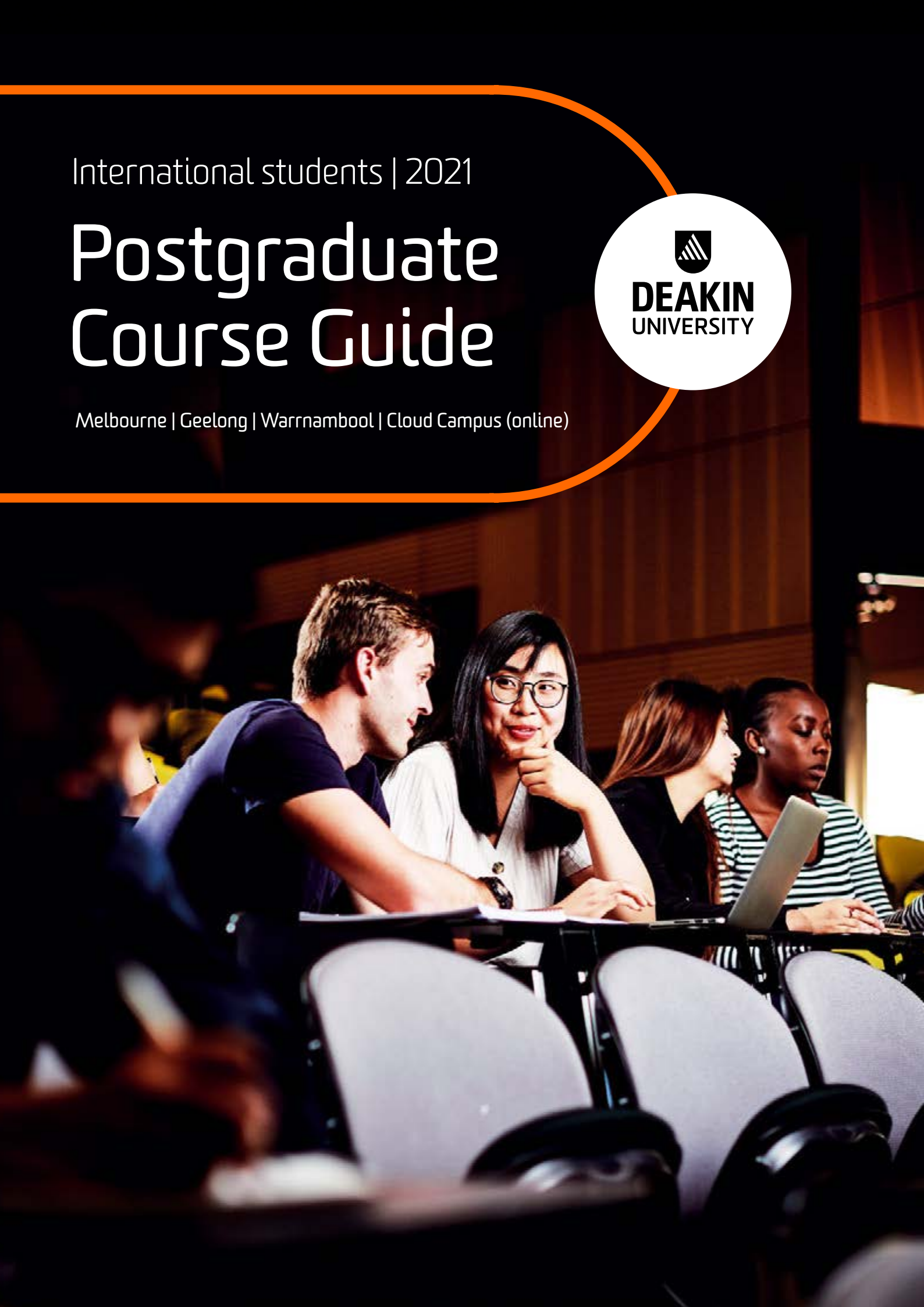

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In the Top 1% of all universities worldwide*

Ranked in the Top 50 young universities in the world^

Highest level of overall student satisfaction among universities in the Australian state of Victoria for ten years#

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Welcome to Deakin

G'day and welcome!

Each year thousands of students from around the world choose Australia as their study destination, and you too could soon be on your way to join them. Like Australia, Deakin University offers a safe and welcoming environment, and we support you at every step to ensure you not only succeed at your studies, but also enjoy your Deakin experience.

World-class degrees

When you study a Deakin degree you will be ready to take your next step with confidence and gain the experience you need to succeed. With a wide range of study areas to choose from, Deakin can help you find the right degree to advance your career.

Career focus

We want to ensure you gain the exposure and experience you need to graduate with confidence. At Deakin you will find there is a practical focus across all our programs. We prepare our students to progress their career by providing practical instruction on real-world problems, career guidance and work experience opportunities. You can learn more about this in the course pages of this guide.

Campus locations

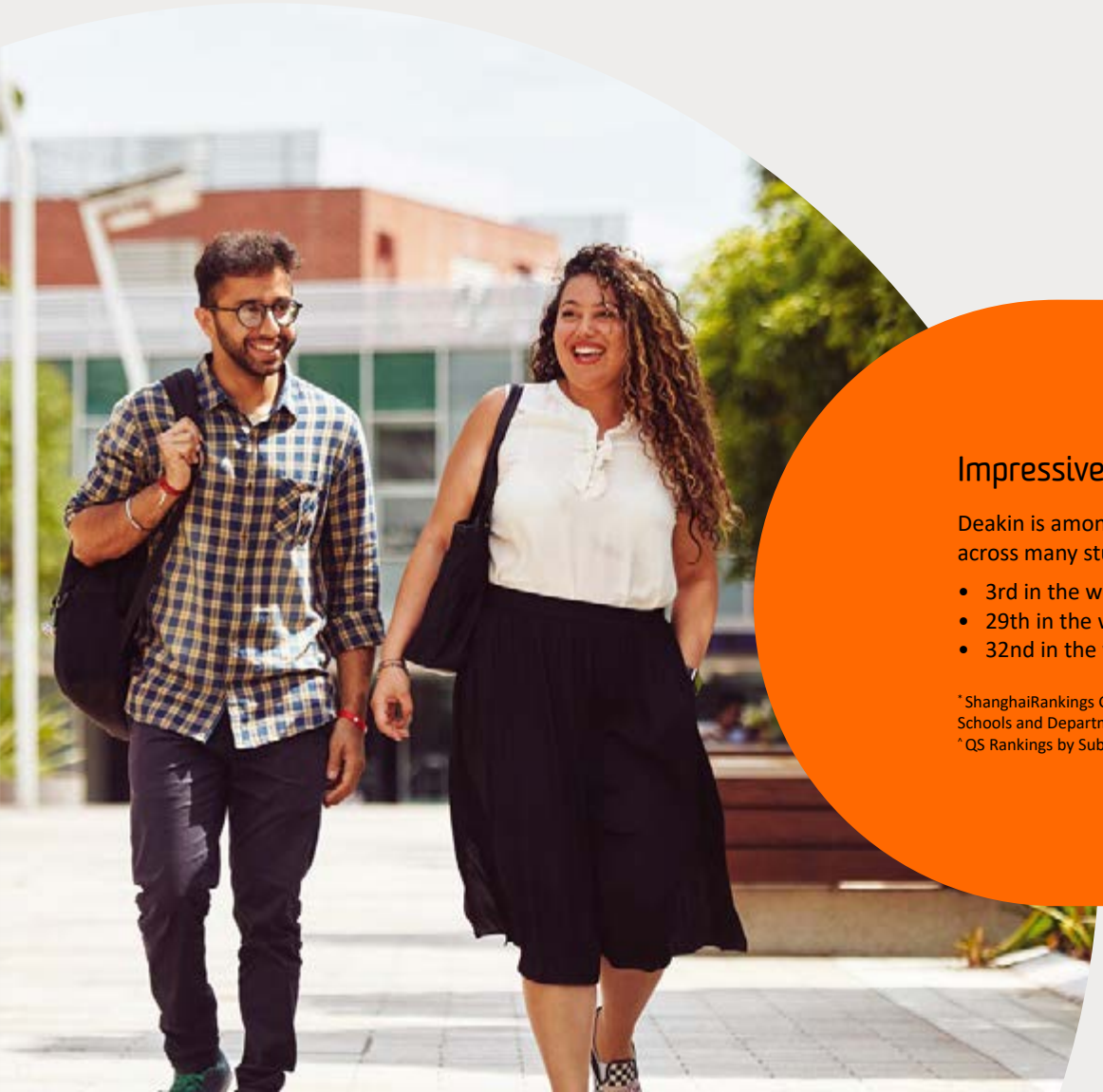
Experience life in Australia at one of Deakin's three campus locations: Melbourne, Geelong and Warrnambool. Our four modern campuses are located at the doorstep of some of Australia's most popular destinations. When you study here, you will discover both incredible scenery and wildlife, and a welcoming and engaging culture. Deakin also offers programs through our innovative Cloud Campus (online).

Scholarships

Deakin offers different scholarships to assist high-achieving international students throughout their studies, and you may be eligible. Learn more at **deakin.edu.au/pg-scholarships**.

Trimester system

At Deakin we run on a trimester system. This means that our programs offer intakes in March (Trimester 1), July (Trimester 2) and November (Trimester 3). This system gives you the option of completing your degree sooner, if you choose to study three trimesters in a single year. You will find more information on Trimesters in the course pages of this guide.



Impressive subject rankings

Deakin is among the best in the world across many study areas, including:

- 3rd in the world for Sport Science*
- 29th in the world for Nursing^
- 32nd in the world for Education^

* ShanghaiRankings Global Ranking of Sport Science Schools and Departments
^ QS Rankings by Subject 2020

Your Deakin home

As a Deakin student you can study at one of our four campuses, or our innovative Cloud Campus (online). You will find a unique study experience at each of our campuses. The local communities that surround Deakin are friendly, safe and full of life, creating the perfect study environment.

Melbourne Burwood Campus

The Melbourne Burwood Campus is Deakin's largest. A short trip from Melbourne's central business district, Burwood offers the perfect balance between city lifestyle and suburban comfort. On campus you will find impressive buildings and world-class facilities, a wide range of learning and social spaces, and a relaxed atmosphere. If you enjoy getting outdoors between classes, the Melbourne Burwood Campus also sits alongside parkland, which is great for walking, jogging and cycling.

On-campus accommodation
Indicative weekly rates: A$285 – A$362

deakin.edu.au/pg-burwood

Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus

At Deakin's Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus, you are surrounded by expansive grounds and impressive new buildings. It offers state-of-the-art engineering, medical and sport facilities, as well as some of the most advanced research spaces in the world.

On-campus accommodation
Indicative weekly rates: A$236 – A$247

Visit **deakin.edu.au/pg-waurn-ponds** to learn more about this campus.

Geelong Waterfront Campus

Located in the heart of Geelong, the Geelong Waterfront Campus has spectacular views of the bay. Used as wool stores in the 19th century, this campus has been renovated to create an impressive, modern space that offers an inspiring study environment.

On-campus accommodation
Indicative weekly rates: A$264 – A$303

deakin.edu.au/pg-waterfront

Living in Melbourne

A welcoming community

Living in Melbourne means you will become a part of an international community. People from all over the world call the city their home.

Many activities

Enjoy live music at Federation Square, or ride a bike along the Yarra River trail. Visit the native animals at the Melbourne Zoo, or spend mornings exploring the Queen Victoria Market tasting fresh and local produce. With so much to see and do, you will never be bored in Melbourne.

Living in Geelong

Be by the ocean

Just a short train ride from Melbourne, Geelong is a coastal city located near some of Australia's best surf beaches. Take a break from your studies and head to the Surf Coast, where you can enjoy a swim or surf in the pristine water.

Support the local team

Engage with the local community at GMHBA Stadium where the Geelong Cats – an Australian Football League (AFL) team and partner of Deakin – play their exciting games. You might even become a fan!

Beautiful surroundings

Deakin's campuses in Geelong and Warrnambool are set in established regional communities that are surrounded by incredible scenery. You will experience Australia's true natural beauty when you live and study in these locations.

Warrnambool Campus

Become a part of a close community where students and lecturers have the opportunity to get to know each other and work closely together. Deakin's Warrnambool Campus is close to beautiful surf beaches and popular tourist attractions, and you will experience a sense of community that extends across the whole of Warrnambool. For those looking for an occasional jolt of big city excitement, trains run four times a day to Melbourne.

On-campus accommodation
Indicative weekly rates: A$212 – A$242

deakin.edu.au/pg-warrnambool

Cloud Campus (online)

As a leading provider of distance and online education for more than 40 years, Deakin has a unique understanding of students who need to study from afar.

Our Cloud Campus is virtual and vibrant. You will have access to lectures and resources and can participate in live-streamed seminars and class discussions. Chat with lecturers and students in real time, and submit assignments easily and efficiently. It is your choice of when, where and how you study. You can be confident that you will receive the same quality education as an on-campus student.

Studying online means you need to be a disciplined, independent and organised learner. Our Cloud Campus comes with orientation sessions, tailored support services, easy-to-use digital tools and resources, and a dedicated 'student success coach' to keep you on track.

deakin.edu.au/pg-cloud

Living in Warrnambool

Made for exploring

Set along one of the country's most scenic coastlines, Warrnambool is the place to be for exploring Australia's famously unique plant and animal habitats.

A cost-effective choice

For students and parents concerned about expenses, Warrnambool offers a lower cost of living than Melbourne and Geelong without sacrificing quality.

What it costs to live in Australia

Beyond tuition fees, there are a number of other costs you need to consider before deciding to study in Australia.

The Australian Government provides average living cost estimates for international students living and studying in the Australian state of Victoria. Costs vary depending on where you live. For example, living in Melbourne is slightly more expensive than living in Geelong or Warrnambool. The information to the right lists some of these estimated costs but for more detailed information visit **studyinaustralia.gov.au**.

Overseas Student Health Cover

In addition to tuition fees, all on-campus international students are required to pay Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC). The amount payable will be included in your Letter of Offer – you will receive this from Deakin if your application is successful.

Scholarships

You could be eligible for a range of scholarships through Deakin and through other parties, including the Australian Government.

Deakin offers a range of scholarships to support high-achieving students. These include the:

- **Deakin Vice-Chancellor's International Scholarship**, which offers a 100% or 50% tuition fee reduction for the normal duration of your course.
- **Deakin International Scholarship**, which offers a 25% tuition fee reduction for the normal duration of your course.

Both scholarships recognise students with consistently high academic performance who have the potential to make a valuable contribution to the University.

Deakin also offers scholarships related to specific study areas, degrees, campuses and countries.

For a full list of scholarship opportunities open to international students, and information on how to apply, visit **deakin.edu.au/pg-scholarships**.

Accommodation

Hostels and guest houses	**A$90 to A$150 per week**
Shared rental	**A$95 to A$215 per week**
On campus at Deakin (inclusive of amenities)	**A$285 to A$362 per week***
Homestay	**A$235 to A$325 per week**
Rental	**A$185 to A$440 per week**

Other living expenses

Groceries and eating out	**A$80 to $280 per week**
Gas, electricity	**A$35 to A$140 per week**
Phone and internet	**A$20 to A$55 per week**
Public transport	**A$15 to A$55 per week**
Car (after purchase)	**A$150 to A$260 per week**
Gym membership	**A$30 to A$100 per month^**
Netflix	**A$10 to A$20 per month^**
Coffee	**A$3 to A$6 per cup^**
Haircut	**A$10 to A$100 each visit^**

Minimum cost of living

The Department of Home Affairs has financial requirements you must meet in order to receive a student visa for Australia. From 23 October 2019 the 12-month living cost is:

You	**A$21,041 per year**
Partner or spouse	**A$7362 per year**
Child	**A$3152 per year**

All costs are in Australian dollars.
* On-campus estimated cost is for Deakin's Melbourne Burwood Campus and includes amenities, such as electricity, gas and internet. On-campus accommodation costs for the Geelong and Warrnambool campuses are lower.
^ This price range is a guide only. Actual costs may vary.

Destination Australia Scholarship

If you study at Deakin's Warrnambool Campus you may be eligible for the Australian Government's Destination Australia scholarship. This scholarship supports study and living expenses and is valued at A$15,000. Learn more at **education.gov.au/destination-australia**.

Deakin's on-campus housing service inclusions

- A private bedroom, which is furnished, carpeted, and heated with a bed, desk and Wi-Fi.
- Shared kitchen, bathrooms, spacious living and dining room, and air conditioning.
- Social, personal, academic and sporting activities calendar.
- Support from Deakin staff, the management and administration team, and 24-hour Deakin security.

Accommodation options

Deakin is here to support you when it comes to finding accommodation in Australia. Whether you want to live on campus or nearby in a local community, we are here to help.

On-campus accommodation

Living on campus is the best way to immerse yourself in the Deakin experience. We offer accommodation across all our campuses with various lease lengths available. Life on campus is both affordable and secure – it is the perfect place to meet new people and live close to where you study.

You can also save money living on campus. Utility bills and internet are included in the fee, and there is no accommodation bond.

Indicative weekly rates: A$285 – A$362*

deakin.edu.au/pg-accom

New accommodation precinct: Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus

In 2021 Deakin will open 32 brand new townhouses at the Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus. Each will house 10 occupants.

* Price based on the Melbourne Burwood Campus costings. Rates are cheaper at the Geelong and Warrnambool locations.

Medical accommodation precinct

The Geelong residences provides 10 self-contained individual modular units for medicine students. Each pod houses three people. There are also seven townhouses specifically for Doctor of Medicine students, each having two bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms.

Homestay

As a Deakin student you can also consider staying with a host family. This is a great way to learn more about living in Australia and to improve your English.

deakin.edu.au/pg-homestay.

Off-campus accommodation

Deakin can assist you in searching for off-campus accommodation using our Houseme database. This can be accessed at **studystays.deakin.edu.au**. You will find a variety of rental opportunities, including long-term, short-term and casual options. You can also access a range of free self-help resources to find out:

- when to start your accommodation search and how to go about it
- the costs associated with accommodation
- things to consider at property inspections
- locations around each campus
- rights and responsibilities when renting in the Australian state of Victoria.

How we support you

Deakin wants you to have a meaningful learning experience. That is why we offer a complete range of support services, from orientation and welcome sessions to academic support and social activities.

Join the club

Getting involved in university life is a great way to meet new people, take on new challenges, and look after your health and fitness. As a Deakin student you can join more than 150 clubs and societies across all campuses. We have a diverse range of clubs, including sporting, academic, health, religious and many more.

deakin.edu.au/pg-clubs

Get started

We make it our priority to ensure that as a new student you make a smooth transition into life at Deakin.

Our welcome program includes:

- airport pick-up
- orientation program
- workshops
- social events
- study groups
- opportunities to get involved in campus life
- plus additional orientation activities for students who live on campus.

Students helping students

We have student mentors available to help you with academic, practical and social matters as part of Deakin's Students Helping Students program. Plus, many student mentors are international students themselves!

International Student Advisors (ISAs)

Deakin's ISAs have lived and studied in other countries, so they can relate to your international study experience firsthand.

- ISAs provide general support to you during your time at Deakin.
- You can book an appointment or simply drop in to see an ISA at Student Central on any Deakin campus.

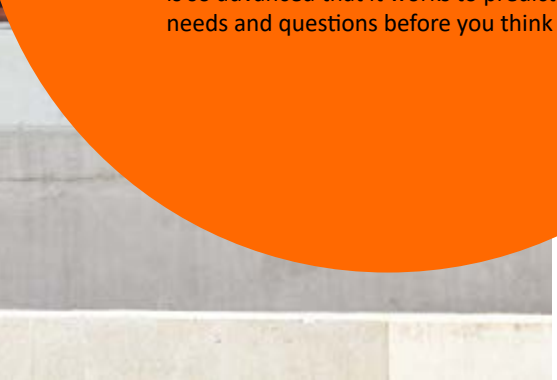
Health, safety and wellbeing

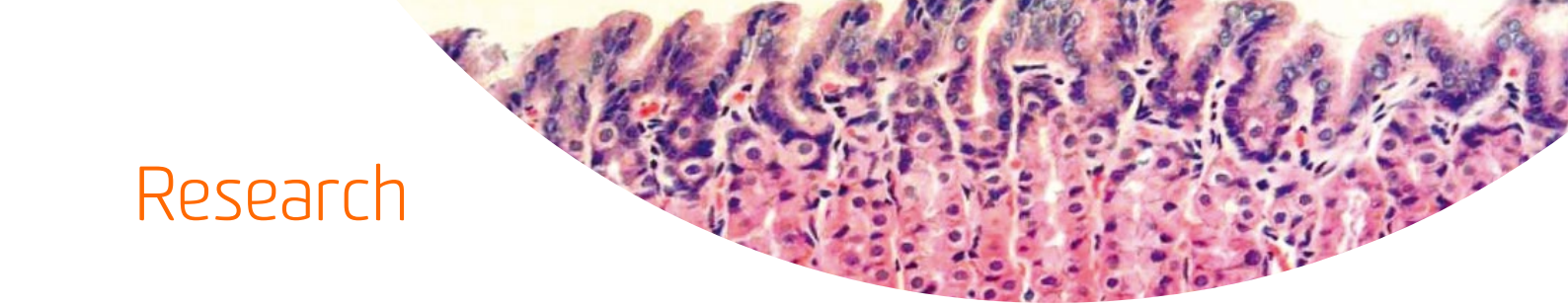
Deakin offers a range of services to help you stay healthy and safe, and to promote personal wellbeing.

- Deakin Medical Centres are located on all campuses and provide medical and nursing healthcare and advice to students.
- Deakin is a safe place. Regardless, security officers are on duty 24 hours a day, 7 days a week across all our campuses. You will also have access to a free SafeZone app that connects you to Deakin's security division.
- Deakin offers a number of services and initiatives to ensure everyone feels welcome, including the Disability Resource Centre (DRC) and Deakin University Student Association (DUSA).

Cutting-edge digital support

Deakin Genie is an award-winning mobile app that helps you keep on track with your studies. As a Deakin student, you can use Genie to keep a calendar of upcoming classes and assignments, set goals for the year and motivate yourself to achieve them, and access support services and learning tools from around the University. Deakin Genie is so advanced that it works to predict your needs and questions before you think to ask!





Research

Research at Deakin is concentrated on the most important global challenges. With top minds, world-class facilities and international networks, we test, refine and develop sought-after innovations that improve the lives of individuals, business and communities. Our postgraduate courses are taught by leading researchers and informed by the cutting edge research we undertake.

By working towards a higher degree by research at Deakin, you will become part of a community devoted to success and mutual support. Research at Deakin is divided into four themes that together advance knowledge, better humanity and preserve our planet:

- Health
- Innovation
- Society
- Environment

Health

Our world-class research in health and wellbeing supports healthy ageing across the life span. Deakin researchers are involved in a broad range of studies that address individual and population health problems – engaging with communities and Deakin partners to solve real-world problems.

In 2018 the Australian Research Council's Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) ranked 100% of the research undertaken by our Faculty of Health at 'above or well above world standard.'

Deakin's health research spans five broad areas, focussed within three Research Institutes and two Strategic Research Centres (SRCs). The Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition investigates prevention and management of chronic disease; the Institute for Health Transformation addresses prevention, health systems/services and quality and patient safety; while the Institute for Mental & Physical Health & Clinical Translation advances world-leading targeted biomedical research.

Early emotional development and sport science are the focus of our SRCs, while several other centres at Deakin support world-class health research. These include two NHMRC Centres (Food Retail Environments and Innovative Therapies for Psychiatric Disorders); a WHO Collaborating Centre for Obesity Prevention; Deakin Health Economics; The Centre for Quality and Patient Safety; and the National Centre for Farmer Health.

Innovation

Deakin is a world leader in materials science research, including carbon and short fibre, metals and steel research, electromaterials, corrosion, nanotechnology, and composite materials. We are home to some of the best future-focused engineering and design facilities in the Australian university sector, including our unique, pilot-scale, carbon fibre research plant in Geelong: Carbon Nexus.

How we generate and use energy is a critical challenge facing society and Deakin researchers are undertaking cutting-edge research in innovative generation technologies and more efficient energy storage systems. We have also designed a large solar power microgrid that provides up to half of the Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus' power needs, as well as being a teaching and research platform for our staff and students.

Data is crucial to making important decisions in our modern world. In analytics and machine learning areas, our novel algorithms have been used in forensics, safety and security, environmental management, and defence among others. Our researchers are helping to transform several industry sectors, ranging from healthcare (via accurate risk prediction from patients' data), to advanced manufacturing (via efficient optimisation of expensive processes) and digital agriculture (through ongoing collaborative work on smart phenomics).

Our active researchers and major research laboratories are focusing on real problems of the 21st century, through integrating cutting-edge technology, human-centred design, construction engineering and architecture. This multifaceted approach makes us a leader in contributing to a socially, economically, and environmentally-viable built environment.

Society

Humanities and social sciences scholars at Deakin undertake outstanding, internationally-recognised research in diverse fields that better society. These include political and ethical theory; contemporary histories; museum studies; human ecology; religious and social change; criminal justice reform; cybercrime; humanitarian and disaster relief; community development; state, national and regional politics and policy issues; international relations; and democracy and democratisation. Much of our research in these domains takes place within the world-renowned Alfred Deakin Institute for Citizenship and Globalisation.

Supported by the Research for Educational Impact Strategic Research Centre, our education researchers focus on generating distinctive, high quality and impactful 'research for education' rather than 'research on education'. Research here centres on four main areas:

- Children, Young People and their Communities
- Curriculum, Assessment, Pedagogy and Digital Learning
- Education, Policy and Governance
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Education.

Research in the Faculty of Business and Law focusses on themes of Business and Society, Business and Technology, Capital Markets, and Small and Medium Enterprises. Research is carried out in and across a number of discipline areas: Accounting, Economics, Finance, Information Systems or Business Analytics, Management, Marketing and Law.

Environment

Deakin's ecologists and evolutionary biologists are helping to protect Australia's vulnerable flora and fauna from disease, rapid development and climate change. Through every project in this field, our research drives outcomes that address global environmental and sustainability issues.

In the areas of bio and nanotechnology, research is being conducted into the synthesis, use and safety of nanoparticles for a range of industries, including agriculture, biomass refinery and circular economy, medicine and food, along with the development of an array of analytical applications.

Our marine researchers have developed the purpose-built research vessel Yolla, which houses one of the most advanced sonar systems in the world. The data they collect plays a key role in supporting fishery and conservation management of marine environments.

The global aquaculture industry is also being supported by our experts, investigating sustainable future aquaculture feeds, innovative raw materials and novel physiological and biotechnological approaches for adapting to climate change and ocean warming.

In the agricultural sphere, teams of experts are focusing on solving productivity problems. In consultation with farmers, Deakin scientists are developing sophisticated lab-on-a-chip technology to optimise livestock health. Water management advice is also being provided to farmers, governments and rural planners, both in Australia and around the world.

Applying for a research degree at Deakin

You can use Deakin's online Higher Degree by Research application form to apply for a research degree. You will need to attach proof of citizenship, academic transcripts, a research proposal, referee reports and other certified documents. Please note that some Faculties and Institutes will require you to first submit an Expression of Interest Form before being approved to submit an online application.

If you are looking to complete a PhD you must demonstrate evidence of research ability. This can be shown through an honours year, a research masters degree, or a coursework masters degree with a substantial thesis.

deakin.edu.au/pg-research

Prepare for your future career

Deakin is dedicated to preparing you for your future. Experience practical, real-world learning, and be ready to progress your career confidence.

Respected program

Australian employers have voted DeakinTALENT the most popular university career service in Australia three years in a row.*

* Australian Association of Graduate Employers 2017 – 2019

DeakinTALENT

DeakinTALENT is our graduate employment division and is dedicated to providing expert career guidance. DeakinTALENT can help you to:

- identify and communicate your personal brand
- create a LinkedIn profile that stands out
- develop an effective resume and cover letter
- manage interview nerves
- excel at networking and connect with employers.

Visit **deakintalent.deakin.edu.au** to learn more.

Deakin International Students' Careers (DISC) program

DISC has been designed specifically for international students and graduates. It offers a suite of workshops to assist you in understanding the workplace, learn what employers are looking for, and help you connect with and present confidently to employers. The program provides opportunities to network with Deakin alumni and – if you are returning home after your degree – DISC also helps you to connect with your home employment market.

EEExpo

The DeakinTALENT Experience & Employment Expo (EEExpo) brings over 100 employers to Deakin in Trimester 1 and 2. It is an easy way to meet, network and gain insights from a range of employers. You will learn about opportunities such as internships, vacation work, volunteering, international experiences and graduate programs.

FreelancingHUB

The FreelancingHUB is an exciting initiative designed to develop job-ready graduates through work experience opportunities. The HUB positions you in not-for-profit or community organisations where you work to develop a solution to a real-world project. Students are assigned an experienced mentor and project manager and will gain key employability skills, such as communication, collaboration, creativity and critical thinking. FreelancingHUB placements are open to students across all study areas, but places are limited.

Internships as part of your degree

Many Deakin degrees offer the opportunity to complete an internship as part of the program. With the help of our dedicated work integrated learning team, you can find a short-term work opportunity in a local organisation where you will gain exposure to real-life projects. Deakin students have worked in advertising firms, sporting organisations, local hospitals and wildlife parks – just to name a few. The experience gained as part of these internships adds to your portfolio of work, which you can present to future employers.

Academic admission requirements

Each Deakin postgraduate degree has its own eligibility and academic entry requirements that you will need to meet in order to gain entry.

Masters by coursework

Deakin masters by coursework programs are typically 18 months to two years full time, or up to four years part time. Many degrees allow you to choose a 'specialisation' – the area of study from which you choose the majority of your units. Studies are completed mainly through coursework, with a thesis or major project completed in the last part of the degree.

Admission requirements

Applicants are required to have completed at least a bachelor degree, or comparable, of an acceptable standard from an approved university or other educational institution. Some degrees may have additional entry requirements, which you can find on the course pages in this guide. Masters degrees by coursework that include a research stream may provide a possible pathway to PhD candidature.

Graduate certificates and graduate diplomas

Graduate certificates are usually one trimester in duration and are designed to add practical and vocational skills to your undergraduate degree, diploma or previous work experience.

Graduate diplomas are usually two trimesters in duration. They are designed to build on the understanding and skills developed during a graduate certificate, or from work experience.

Admission requirements

Applicants seeking entry into a graduate certificate or graduate diploma program must have successfully completed:

- an approved undergraduate degree, or comparable, from an approved university or other educational institution; or
- comparable qualifications gained by examination or relevant professional or industry experience.

Additional requirements may exist for certain degrees.

Masters by research

A Deakin masters by research program takes two years full time to complete, and can serve as a prerequisite to applying for PhD studies. For a masters by research degree, you will be allocated a dedicated research supervisor.

Admission requirements

Applicants must hold a bachelor degree with honours (lower second class and above), or equivalent, from a recognised tertiary institution in an appropriate discipline. You must also have demonstrated capacity to undertake significant research in the proposed field for which Deakin can provide the required supervisory expertise.

Doctoral programs (PhD)

Doctoral programs are between two and four years full time and are the highest degree available in academia. PhD students conduct original research in order to progress their chosen field. People choose to do PhDs if they want a career in academia or if they want to reach higher levels in their non-academic jobs.

Admission requirements

Applicants must hold a bachelor degree with honours (upper second class and above) or a masters degree by research from a recognised tertiary institution in an appropriate discipline. They must also demonstrate their capacity to undertake significant research in a field for which Deakin can provide the required supervisory expertise.

More information about higher degrees by research

To enquire about completing a higher degree by research degree with Deakin, email **deakin-int-hdr@deakin.edu.au**.

Your pathway to business studies at Deakin

Some international undergraduate programs do not meet Deakin's academic standards for postgraduate study. This is why Deakin College – Deakin University's pathway provider partner – offers the Masters Qualifying Program (MQP). The MQP is an alternative pathway into postgraduate business degrees at Deakin University.

deakin.edu.au/pg-mqp

English language requirements

To enrol in a Deakin degree, you will need to be able to read, speak, write and listen in English at a certain level. Different Deakin programs have different English language requirements.

How to meet English language requirements

All students must prove that they can meet Deakin's English language requirements. You will be able to provide evidence of your English language skills if you have:

- met the required scores in a recognised English language test, such as IELTS or TOEFL
- completed university (tertiary) or high school (secondary) studies taught in English
- lived and worked in an English-speaking country for at least five years.

English language tests accepted by Deakin

IELTS

IELTS is the most popular English language test in the world. IELTS tests are taken in nearly every country, and Deakin has IELTS testing and study centres on some of our campuses. IELTS tests assess listening, reading, writing and speaking skills.

TOEFL

The TOEFL test is available in two formats — one is delivered via the internet and the other is a paper-based test. The majority of TOEFL test takers worldwide take the TOEFL iBT test, delivered via the internet. The TOEFL Paper-delivered Test is offered only in locations where testing via the internet is not available.

Other accepted English language tests

- C1 Advanced (formerly Cambridge English Advanced CAE)
- C2 Proficiency (formerly Cambridge English: Proficiency CPE)
- English language test for healthcare professionals (OET)
- Pearson Test of English Academic (PTE Academic)

English language in this guide

This guide uses IELTS exam scores as the standard for English language requirements, but if you have taken a test other than IELTS you can find equivalent requirements in the below table.

deakin.edu.au/pg-english.

Approved English language tests

	IELTS	TOEFL IBT	TOEFL PBT	C1 PROFICIENCY	C2 PROFICIENCY	PTE	OET*	DUELI EAP PROGRAM
BAND A^	Overall 6 No band lower than 6	69 Writing 21	550 Writing 4.5	169 No band less than 169	169 No band less than 169	50 No less than 50 in each skill	Overall C	EAP 3 (60%), or English for Commerce (60%) - Commerce courses only
BAND B#	Overall 6.5 No band lower than 6	79 Writing 21	577 Writing 4.5	176 No band less than 169	176 No band less than 169	58 No less than 50 in each skill	Overall C+	EAP 4 (60%)
BAND C~	Overall 7 No band lower than 6.5	94 Writing 24	600 Writing 5	185 No band less than 176	185 No band less than 176	65 No less than 58 in each skill	Overall B (equivalent to a IELTS 7~7.5 range)	EAP 4 (70%)
BAND D**	Overall 7 No band lower than 7	94 Writing 27	600 Writing 5	185 No band less than 185	185 No band less than 185	65 No less than 65 in each skill	Overall B (equivalent to a IELTS 7~7.5 range)	EAP 4 (75%)

* For health-related award courses only.
^ This standard is not relevant for Deakin postgraduate degrees.
# This standard is relevant for all Deakin postgraduate degrees unless otherwise specified.
~ This standard is not relevant for Deakin postgraduate degrees.
** This standard is relevant for Deakin postgraduate education degrees, Doctor of Medicine, Master of Psychology (Clinical) and Master of Psychology (Organisational)

NOTE: The information presented is current at the time of printing. For the most-up-to-date information about English language requirements, visit **deakin.edu.au/int-english**.

IELTS: International English Language Testing System (Academic Module)
TOEFL: Test of English as a Foreign Language (PBT: Paper Based Test) (iBT: Internet Based Test)
C1 Proficiency: Formerly known as Cambridge English Proficiency (CPE)
C2 Proficiency: Formerly known as Cambridge English Advanced (CAE)
PTE: Pearson's Test of English (Academic)
OET: Occupational English Test
DUELI EAP: Deakin University English Language Institute English for Academic Purposes program

Improve your English at Deakin

If your current English level does not meet Deakin's English language requirements, or you want to improve your English before starting your degree, the Deakin University English Language Institute (DUELI) can help you prepare for your studies at Deakin.

Meet Deakin's English language requirements

DUELI can help you meet the English language requirements for your Deakin University degree. Successful completion of DUELI's English for Academic Purposes (EAP) pathway programs can provide you with entry into most degrees at Deakin University. DUELI also has specialised English programs for teaching.

The DUELI advantage

DUELI is recognised as one of the best English language centres in Australia. DUELI will do more than improve your English: it will give you the chance to improve your study skills and become familiar with studying at an Australian university. Courses start every five weeks.

What can you study?

English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

EAP programs prepare students for university studies in Australia. You can meet Deakin's English language requirements for most postgraduate courses by successfully completing the EAP 4 program.

General English (GE)

GE programs offer students at all levels the chance to use English confidently and correctly. GE programs can prepare beginner English speakers for the EAP program.

English for Teaching

English requirements are generally higher for teaching programs at Deakin. The five-week English for Teaching program is an intensive English program for advanced students. You can meet the English language requirements for education courses by successfully completing the English for Teaching program.

Entry requirements: IELTS score of 7 (no band lower than 7).

IELTS Preparation

This is a special five-week IELTS preparation program at Deakin's official IELTS Test Centre. The program has been designed to equip students with the knowledge and skills to succeed in an IELTS exam.

Entry requirements: Minimum IELTS score of 5.5 or equivalent.

Intensive Academic Preparation (IAP)

The IAP program is a five-week program for students with IELTS scores of 6.5 or above. The IAP program is designed to develop the writing, reading, listening and speaking skills needed to achieve success at university. This is for students who wish to excel in their degree and for Australia Award scholarship students.

DUELI is a part of Deakin

DUELI is more than an English language centre; it is part of Deakin University. As a DUELI student you will have access to all of Deakin University's facilities and services, including the library, health services, and sport facilities.

deakin.edu.au/pg-dueli

How to apply

Applying to Deakin

You can apply to Deakin at any time throughout the year, and Deakin's international admissions team is always ready to quickly process applications and assist with any questions you may have. Application processes and requirements may differ slightly depending on your chosen degree, as well as your country of residence and entry pathway.

1

Find your course

Browse the many exciting postgraduate courses we have on offer throughout this guide, and choose the degree you wish to study.

2

Understand the entry requirements

It is important that you understand the entry requirements for your degree before you submit your application to Deakin. Entry requirements for each Deakin degree differ and also depend on your country of residence. The minimum academic entry requirements for our postgraduate degrees can be found by visiting the course pages within this guide.

3

Understand the English language requirements

All applicants need to meet Deakin's English language requirements to the level necessary for their course. Minimum International English Language Testing System (IELTS) scores are included on the course information pages of this guide. For more information see page 12.

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Gather supporting documents

When you apply to study at Deakin it is important to attach all requested supporting documentation, otherwise your application could be delayed or rejected. Most documents need to be certified before they are submitted to Deakin, so give yourself plenty of time to get organised. Certified copies must include: award certificates, academic transcripts and formal identity papers (e.g. your passport). Documents must be translated into English.

How to certify your documents

Certified copies of documents are photocopies that have been viewed along with the original document by an authorised person who will stamp them as being authentic copies. Visit **deakin.edu.au/pg-apply** to see how you can certify your documents and who they can be certified by.

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Submit your application

You can submit your application to study at Deakin using a variety of methods:

- **Through a Deakin authorised agent:** One of Deakin's friendly agents can assist you to submit your application and ensure you have all the necessary documents ready. Visit **deakin.edu.au/pg-reps** to search for a Deakin authorised agent located near you.
- **Direct to Deakin:** You can apply directly to Deakin through Deakin's StudyLink Connect platform. Here you will be guided through each step of the application process.

deakin.edu.au/pg-apply

Find your degree

The rest of this guide explores Deakin's postgraduate degrees. Identify the entry requirements and learn about our state-of-the-art facilities, work experience opportunities, accreditation and more.

Campuses

- B Melbourne Burwood Campus
- WP Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus
- WF Geelong Waterfront Campus
- C Cloud Campus (online)

Trimester intakes

Deakin University uses a trimester system. Two trimesters are still equal to a full academic year.

- **T1** Trimester 1 (March)
- **T2** Trimester 2 (July)
- **T3** Trimester 3 (November)

Course duration

- 2 Course duration in years

Course code

- S792 Every Deakin degree has a corresponding course code for easy reference and identification.

Course fees

Example: A$30 800

The annual course fee indicates the tuition fee for two trimesters of full-time study, or 8 credit points, unless otherwise indicated. Additional fees may apply and course fees may be subject to change. All fees are in Australian dollars.

For more information about fees visit **deakin.edu.au/pg-fees**.

English requirements

Example: IELTS score 6.5/6

IELTS is the International English Language Testing System. The numbers reflect the minimum overall score required as well as the lowest score allowed for any band (overall score/lowest band score). Deakin also accepts the results of other English language tests. For more information about English language requirements see page 12.

Course structure

Unit

A unit is normally one trimester long and most have a value of 1 or 2 credit points.

Credit point

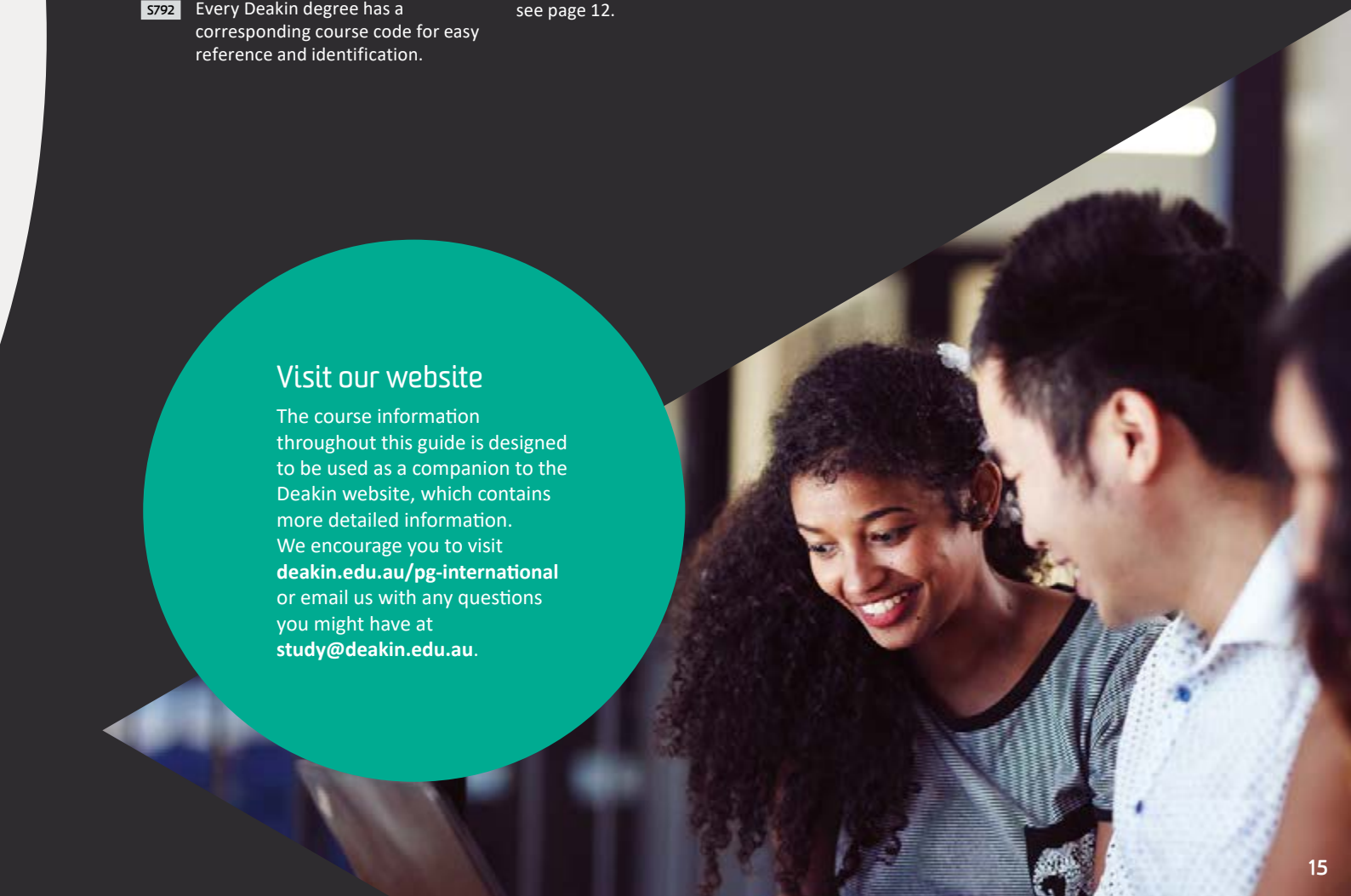
For each unit you successfully complete, you will receive the credit point value of that unit towards your studies. You must complete a specified number of credit points to obtain your degree. Most masters degrees require 12 or 16 credit points.

Specialisation

A specialisation is a group of related units on a particular area or field of study within a degree. A successfully completed specialisation may be listed on your academic transcript.

Visit our website

The course information throughout this guide is designed to be used as a companion to the Deakin website, which contains more detailed information. We encourage you to visit **deakin.edu.au/pg-international** or email us with any questions you might have at **study@deakin.edu.au**.



Deakin degrees

Course	Course code	Years full-time	Campus	Trimester intake	2021 annual course fee (AU)	IELTS score required	Page number
Architecture and construction management							
Master of Architecture	S700	2	WF	T1, T2	$36,000	6.5/6	21
Master of Construction Management (Professional)	S792	2	WF C	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	23
Master of Landscape Architecture	S703	2	WF	T1, T2	$36,000	6.5/6	21
Graduate Diploma of Construction Management	S691	1	WF C	T1, T2	$38,600	6.5/6	23
Business							
Master of Business (Arts and Cultural Management)	M785	2*	C	T1, T2	$39,400	6.5/6	28
Master of Business Administration	M701	1.5	B C	T1, T2, T3	$43,600	6.5/6	27
Master of Business Administration (Healthcare Management)	M703	2	B C	T1, T2, T3	$43,600	6.5/6	27
Master of Business Administration (International)	M751	2	B C	T1, T2, T3	$41,200	6.5/6	27
Master of Business Analytics	M761	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$36,400	6.5/6	29
Master of Commerce	M755	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$39,400	6.5/6	30
Master of Financial Planning	M769	1.5	B C	T1, T2, T3^	$39,400	6.5/6	31
Master of Human Resource Management	M782	1.5*	C	T1, T2, T3	$39,400	6.5/6	32
Master of International Accounting – ACCA	M780	2*	B	T1, T3#	$39,400	6.5/6	25
Master of International Finance	M750	2*	B C	T1, T2~, T3**	$39,400	6.5/6	33
Master of Marketing	M788	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$40,600	6.5/6	34
Master of Professional Accounting	M720	1.5	B C	T1, T2, T3	$39,400	6.5/6	24
Master of Professional Accounting and Finance	M794	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$39,400	6.5/6	25
Master of Professional Accounting and Law	M749	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$39,400	6.5/6	25
Graduate Diploma of Property	M633	1	C	T1, T2	$39,400	6.5/6	35
Communication							
Master of Communication	A743	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$32,600	6.5/6	36

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
^ This course is only available for part-time study in Trimester 3.
# To enable students to complete units in the required sequence, Trimester 3 is a compulsory study period for this course.
~ All specialisations may not be available for this intake. Check with the Faculty of Business and Law for availability – buslaw@deakin.edu.au.
** The availability of units in Trimester 3 may be limited.

Course code S792
Course duration in years 3
Trimester T
Semester S

Cloud Campus (online) C
Melbourne Burwood Campus B
Geelong Waterfront Campus WF
Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus WP
Warrnambool Campus WB

Course	Course code	Years full-time	Campus	Trimester intake	2021 annual course fee (AU)	IELTS score required	Page number
Creative arts and writing							
Master of Arts (Writing and Literature)	A764	2*	B C	T1, T2	$32,600	6.5/6	37
Master of Creative Arts	A759	2	B WF	T1, T2^	$32,600	6.5/6	38
Master of Film and Television	A706	2*	B	T1, T2	$32,600	6.5/6	39
Education and teaching							
Education – Deakin education degrees are for those already in the profession who are looking to progress their skills and career							
Master of Education	E771	1.5*	B C	T1, T2	$30,400	6.5/6	40
Master of Education (Leadership and Management)	E732	1.5*	C	T1, T2	$30,400	6.5/6	40
Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	E757	1.5*	B	T1, T2, T3	$32,000	6.5/6	41
Teaching – Deakin teaching degrees are for those looking to enter the profession for the first time							
Master of Teaching (Early Childhood)	E761	2	B	T1	$30,200	7/7#	42
Master of Teaching (Primary and Early Childhood)	E764	2	B	T1	$30,200	7/7#	42
Master of Teaching (Primary)	E762	2	B	T1	$30,200	7/7#	43
Master of Teaching (Primary and Secondary)	E765	2	B	T1	$30,200	7/7#	43
Master of Teaching (Secondary)	E763	2	B	T1	$30,200	7/7#	43
Engineering							
Master of Energy Systems Management	S756	1	WP C	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	44
Master of Energy Systems Management (Professional)	S757	2	WP C	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	44
Master of Engineering	S752	2	WP	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	46
Master of Engineering (Professional)	S751	2	WP	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	46
Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management	S758	1	WP C	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	45
Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management (Professional)	S759	2	WP C	T1, T2, T3	$38,600	6.5/6	45
Health							
Master of Health Economics	H704	2	B C	T1, T2, T3	$33,400	6.5/6	47
Master of Health and Human Services Management	H756	2	B	T1, T2, T3	$37,400	6.5/6	48
Master of Health Promotion	H759	2	B	T1, T2	$37,400	6.5/6	49
Master of Public Health	H757	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$37,400	6.5/6	50

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
^ This intake only available at the Melbourne Burwood Campus.
# IELTS band score of 7 (with no band less than 7) and speaking and listening of 7.5.

Course	Course code	Years full-time	Campus	Trimester intake	2021 annual course fee (AU)	IELTS score required	Page number
Humanities and social sciences							
Master of International Relations (International)	A703I	2	B	T1, T2	$32,000	6.5/6	51
Master of Cultural Heritage	A787	2*	B C	T1, T2	$31,400	6.5/6	52
Master of Sustainable Development and Humanitarian Action	A705	1.5PT	C	T1, T2, T3	$12,400	6.5/6	53
Master of Humanitarian Assistance	A767	1#	B C	T1, T2, T3^	$28,600	6.5/6	54
Master of International and Community Development	A765	1	C	T1, T2, T3	$31,000	6.5/6	55
Master of Politics and Policy	A702	1	C	T1, T2, T3	$31,000	6.5/6	56
Graduate Certificate of Humanitarian Health	A590	1PT	C	T1, T2, T3	$10,800	6.5/6	57
Information technology							
Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence	S736	2*	WP C	T1, T2	$36,400	6.5/6	58
Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence (Professional)	S737	2	WP C	T1, T2	$36,400	6.5/6	58
Master of Cyber Security	S734	2*	WP	T1, T2	$36,400	6.5/6	59
Master of Cyber Security (Professional)	S735	2	WP C	T1, T2	$36,400	6.5/6	59
Master of Data Science	S777	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$36,400	6.5/6	60
Master of Information Systems	M722	2*	B C	T1, T2, T3	$36,400	6.5/6	61
Master of Information Technology	S778	1.5	B C	T1, T2, T3	$36,400	6.5/6	62
Master of Information Technology (Professional)	S779	2	B C	T1, T2, T3	$36,400	6.5/6	62
Law							
Master of Laws	M726	1	B C	T1, T2	$41,000	6.5/6	63
Medicine							
Doctor of Medicine (MD)	H911	4	WP	M1~	$73,000	7/7	64
Nursing							
Master of Nursing Practice	H771	1.5	C**	T1, T2	$35,200	6.5/6	65
Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education	H520	1PT	C**	T1	$24,200	6.5/6	66

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
^ Intake available at the Cloud Campus (online) only.
# International students studying in Australia may package the Master of Humanitarian Assistance with the Graduate Diploma of Humanitarian Assistance for a total duration of 2 years.
~ Unlike most Deakin courses, this degree operates on a Medicine Semester system.
** As this course is conducted via the Cloud Campus (online), it does not meet requirements for obtaining a student visa to study onshore.

Course code S792
Course duration in years 3
Trimester T
Semester S

Cloud Campus (online) C
Melbourne Burwood Campus B
Geelong Waterfront Campus WF
Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus WP
Warrnambool Campus WB

Course	Course code	Years full-time	Campus	Trimester intake	2021 annual course fee (AU)	IELTS score required	Page number
Nutrition							
Master of Dietetics	H718	1.5	B	S1*	$44,600	7/7	67
Master of Human Nutrition	H714	1.5	C	T1, T2, T3	$37,400	6.5/6	68
Master of Nutrition and Population Health	H748	2	B	T1	$37,400	6.5/6	69
Psychology							
Master of Psychology (Clinical)	H750	2	B WF	T1	$37,000	7/7	71
Master of Psychology (Organisational)	H752	2	B	T1	$37,000	7/7	71
Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced)	H650	1	B WF	T1	$34,600	6.5/6	70
Graduate Diploma of Psychological Science	H603	1.25^	B WP	T1, T2	$34,600#	6.5/6	70
Science and environment							
Master of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics	S772	2	WP	T1, T2	$37,600	6.5/6	72
Master of Sustainability	S721	2	B C	T1, T2	$37,600	6.5/6	73
Sport							
Master of Business (Sport Management)	M748	2~	B C	T1, T2, T3**	$40,600	6.5/6	74
Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology	H743	1.5	B	T1	$37,000	6.5/6	75

*Unlike most Deakin courses, this degree operates on a Semester system.
^This degree is an accelerated full-time program delivered over three consecutive trimesters. This means you will study three trimesters in the one year.
The 2021 course fee is for 10 credit points over three trimesters of full-time study in a single calendar year.
~ A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
** Intake available at the Cloud Campus (online) only.

Online Professional Practice degrees

If you are a professional with extensive experience in your field, a Deakin Professional Practice degree could allow you to gain a professionally-recognised qualification using the knowledge and skills you have already gained in the workplace. Students undertaking these programs gain their degree through a combination of credentialing and coursework units. Credentialing is about showcasing the skills and knowledge you already have through a portfolio of evidence. Deakin offers the following professional practice degrees:

- Master of Information Technology
- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology
- Master of Leadership
- Graduate Certificate of Leadership
- Master of Digital Learning Leadership
- Graduate Certificate of Digital Learning Leadership
- Master of Professional Practice (Engineering)

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Architecture

Deakin offers multiple postgraduate architecture degrees, and the one you choose will depend on your previous studies and future career aspirations. No matter what degree you choose, you will learn by building models, studying professional projects, drawing, and engaging in digital design.

Professional recognition

Deakin's postgraduate architecture programs are accredited by leading industry bodies. These include the Australian Institute of Architects (AIA), Architects Accreditation Council of Australia (AACA), the Architects Registration Board of Victoria (ARBV), and Australian Institute of Landscape Architects (AILA).

Career opportunities

Deakin architecture graduates may find work in private architectural practice firms, government organisations and private companies in property development, building, and design.

World-class facilities

Deakin's School of Architecture and Built Environment has an open and engaging learning space that strengthens the school community and enhances our students' learning experience. Facilities include a well-equipped workshop with 3D printers, CNC routers and 2D laser cutters; and an extensive design studio accessible 24 hours, seven days a week.

Highly ranked

Deakin's architecture programs are ranked in the Top 1% of all universities worldwide, according to QS World University Rankings by Subject. This means you can be confident that your Deakin degree will be well respected by employers.

Master of Architecture*

Explore the design of physical environments – from residential to commercial to industrial. Deakin's Master of Architecture will develop your skills and knowledge in architectural design research, urban ecologies and contexts, project evaluation, and performance-measured sustainable design. All of these skills are expected in modern professional practice. You will also undertake advanced studies in cultural, technological, design, environmental, and theoretical knowledge. Plus, you will study the ethical and evaluative frameworks that underpin the architecture field.

Course information

Course code: S700
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WF
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$36,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 9 core units (totalling 12 credit points)
- 4 elective units
- 2 zero-credit-point compulsory units.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in architecture (accredited) with a weighted average mark (WAM) (or equivalent average grade indicator) of 60. Applicants who do not obtain a WAM of 60 may submit a portfolio of their relevant work for consideration.

Internationally recognised

This course has also been validated and recognised by the Board of Architects Malaysia (Lembaga Arkitek Malaysia).

Obtaining registration

Graduates will be required to complete an additional two years of work experience under the supervision of a registered architect in order to present for registration with the Architects Registration Board of Victoria and the Australian Institute of Architects.

* The Master of Architecture suite of courses was under redevelopment at the time this booklet was published (March 2020) and this course structure should be used as a guide only. For the latest information please visit: **deakin.edu.au/course/master-architecture.**

Master of Landscape Architecture

Build upon your knowledge of maintaining the quality, sustainability and development of cities, towns and regional landscapes. Deakin's Master of Landscape Architecture explores the creation of quality places in response to current and future environmental and lifestyle challenges. The program focuses on ecology, spirit of place, people, Indigenous thought and urban design to inform and craft places of renewal, stimulation, healing and respect. A career in landscape architecture could mean you gain work in project management, urban design or change management planning.

Course information

Course code: S703
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WF
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$36,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 11 core units (totalling 13 credit points)
- 3 course elective units
- 2 zero-credit-point compulsory units.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in a related discipline with a weighted average mark (WAM) of 60 (or equivalent), or a portfolio of relevant work.

Industry advantage

This program has been designed in direct consultation with the Australian Institute of Landscape Architects (AILA), potential employers, industry, government and professional representatives. It is co-taught by many of these representatives to ensure you gain the knowledge, skills and competencies sought by employers.

Construction Management

Deakin offers multiple postgraduate construction management qualifications. The program you choose will depend on your previous work and study experience.

Professional recognition

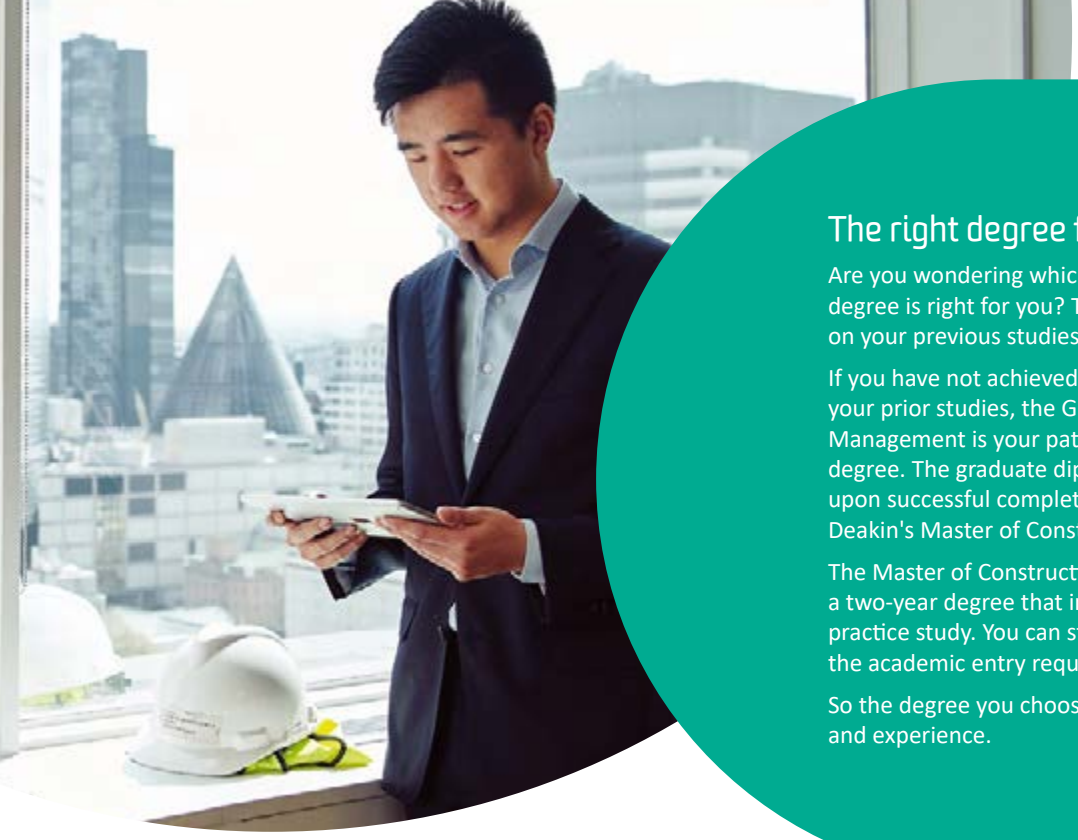
Deakin's Master of Construction Management degrees are professionally accredited by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS), the Australian Institute of Quantity Surveyors (AIQS) and the Australian Institute of Building (AIB).

Career outcomes

Graduates may find career opportunities in the fields of quantity surveying and construction management. There are a wide range of potential employers, including construction companies, quantity surveying, project management and construction consultants.

Inspiring learning environments

The School of Architecture and Built Environment has undergone major refurbishment, resulting in a creative learning space. Originally built as wool stores in the 19th century, Deakin's award-winning Geelong Waterfront Campus is a modern, impressive campus located right on the foreshore in the heart of Geelong.



The right degree for you

Are you wondering which Deakin construction management degree is right for you? The degree you choose will depend on your previous studies.

If you have not achieved a minimum WAM of 60% in your prior studies, the Graduate Diploma of Construction Management is your pathway to completing a masters degree. The graduate diploma is a year-long program that upon successful completion provides a direct pathway into Deakin's Master of Construction Management.

The Master of Construction Management (Professional) is a two-year degree that includes a trimester of professional practice study. You can study this degree directly if you meet the academic entry requirements.

So the degree you choose will depend on your prior studies and experience.

Graduate Diploma of Construction Management

This program provides you with an introduction to the theoretical and practical knowledge needed to become a construction professional. You will explore strategic construction procurement, construction measurement and estimating, cost planning and economics, project evaluation, and more. The course is ideally suited to those with a construction background seeking to upskill. Upon successful completion, this degree is a direct pathway into Deakin's Master of Construction Management.

Course information

Course code: S691
Years (full time): 1
Campus: WF C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 7 core units
- 1 elective unit
- 2 zero-credit-point compulsory units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in same or related discipline (such as quantity surveying, civil engineering, architecture, and building technology), OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline plus 2 years relevant professional work experience (such as quantity surveying, civil engineering, architecture or building technology environment)

Master of Construction Management (Professional)

Open the door to postgraduate construction management education and professional careers by completing this degree. You will explore project feasibility, professional and commercial business practice, construction measurement, cost planning and cost management, risk management, and construction procurement.

Course information

Course code: S792
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WF C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 14 core units (totalling 16 credit points)
- 0-credit-point compulsory unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a related discipline with a minimum WAM of 60%, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline with a minimum WAM of 60%, plus 5 years of relevant professional work experience.

Accounting

Complex global markets and reporting requirements mean that accounting has never been a more dynamic and exciting profession. Businesses and individuals increasingly rely on accountants to assess their financial situation and give advice on financial dealings. Deakin offers a number of accounting degrees to cater for your career goals.

Graduate job-ready

At Deakin we understand that professional experience, particularly for postgraduate students, plays a critical role in helping you take the next step in your career. Practical experience as part of your degree gives you the opportunity to enhance your job prospects, enrich your resume, and create valuable industry networks while gaining credit towards your degree.

Which Deakin accounting degree is right for you?

Master of Professional Accounting

This degree is open to graduates from both accounting and non-accounting backgrounds. It provides a pathway to gain entry into Certified Practicing Accountants (CPA), Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CA ANZ), and the Institute of Public Accountants (IPA), as well as exemptions from Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA).

Master of International Accounting – ACCA

This degree provides six intensive hours of classroom teaching each week. There is also a special one week masterclass by an ACCA approved learning provider for any four of the six professional level ACCA examinations. Additionally you will gain exemption from all nine 'fundamental' level ACCA papers.

Master of Professional Accounting and Finance

This combined program specialises in accounting and finance, meaning it meets the needs of employers and professional bodies operating in both disciplines. The degree provides a pathway to gain entry into CPA, CA ANZ and IPA, as well as exemptions from ACCA.

Master of Professional Accounting and Law

This degree provides a structured study program in a range of accounting and related business and law disciplines. The degree provides a pathway to gain entry into CPA, CA ANZ and IPA, as well as exemptions from ACCA.

Master of Professional Accounting

This degree is open to graduates from both accounting and non-accounting backgrounds. It covers areas such as corporate and management accounting, commercial law, corporations law, accounting theory, economics and finance. Students are introduced to research tools in the core unit component of the degree where they learn analytic skills and the practical application of those skills in professional contexts.

Course information

Course code: M720
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including a 0-credit-point academic integrity unit. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree, major or other qualification in a related discipline with a minimum weighted average mark (WAM) of 60, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline with a minimum WAM of 60, PLUS 2 years of relevant work experience, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program with a minimum overall average of 60 in the discipline units.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Professional Accounting
- Graduate Certificate of Professional Accounting

Master of International Accounting – ACCA

This program is designed to lead to two qualifications: A masters degree from Deakin and a professional qualification from the largest global body for professional accountants, the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA). Masterclasses by an ACCA approved tuition provider are offered for all units embedding the ACCA papers at no additional cost. All learning resources, including textbooks and revision and practice books are also included. You will study subjects such as introductory accounting, strategic business reporting, business law, corporate auditing, financial accounting, and principles of income tax law.

Course information

Course code: M780
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March), T3 (November)^
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 14 core units
- 2 elective units
- 0-credit-point-academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in a related discipline, with a minimum weighted average mark (WAM) of 65; OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program with a minimum overall average of 65.

Master of Professional Accounting and Finance

Through its unique combination of accounting and finance specialisations, this degree provides a solid skill set that can lead to a range of careers, including financial accounting, auditing, taxation, forensic accounting, client account management, security analysis and stockbroking. You can choose electives relevant to your career and personal goals – for example, income tax law, business strategy or superannuation. You will also study accounting units that deal with decision making and performance management, as well as financial accounting and auditing.

Course information

Course code: M794
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2, (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 15 core units
- 1 elective unit
- 0-credit-point-academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, with a minimum WAM of 60, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program with a minimum overall average of 60 in the discipline units.

Master of Professional Accounting and Law

The accounting profession has recently seen a shift from roles that provide financial information and number crunching to more of an advisory role. Similarly, many law firms increasingly favour graduates who display accounting and financial awareness. This degree provides the required knowledge for professional accounting practice, and gives law students the opportunity to gain accounting expertise to enhance their career outside the legal profession. You will gain versatile skills which can be used to solve complex business issues in multiple markets. You will also learn analytical skills and how to apply them in professional contexts.

Course information

Course code: M749
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2, (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 13 core units
- 3 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic induction for professional accounting and law
- 0-credit-point-academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree, major or other qualification in a related discipline, with a minimum WAM of 60, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline with a minimum WAM of 60, and two years relevant work experience, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program with a minimum overall average of 60.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Professional Accounting and Law
- Graduate Certificate of Professional Accounting and Law

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
^ To enable students to complete units in the required sequence, Trimester 3 is a compulsory study period for this course.

Leading the way

Deakin is one of the Top 100 universities in the world for Finance (ShanghaiRankings), and in the global Top 150 for Accounting (QS). Deakin Business School is in the top 1% of business schools globally that hold both AACSB and EQUIS accreditations. These prestigious accreditations are awarded to business schools that meet strict standards of quality, academic and professional excellence, and demonstrate a commitment to ongoing improvement and innovation in their courses.

Master of Business Administration (MBA)

Deakin's Master of Business Administration (MBA) programs are some of the most highly regarded in Australia, and are recognised around the world. We offer a number of different MBA programs, and what you study depends on your previous experience as well as your career goals. Let us help you find the right MBA for you.

Refined qualification

Deakin has been offering MBA programs for more than 30 years. As a result our programs are refined, relevant and prepare graduates for a range of business careers. You will learn from some of the best in the business: Deakin's MBA teaching staff are recognised experts in their fields, and they not only teach but also publish in quality international journals and serve as consultants for industry organisations.

Which Deakin MBA is the right one for you?

Deakin offers three MBA programs: Master of Business Administration; Master of Business Administration (International); and Master of Business Administration (Healthcare Management). Your previous professional or managerial experience, as well as the industry you wish to work in upon graduating, will determine which MBA is right for you. The diagram below provides a general guide as to which degree you are best suited and eligible for.

Accreditation

Deakin Business School (DBS) is accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB). Only 5% of business programs worldwide are AACSB accredited and DBS is one of only three business schools in Victoria to achieve this recognition. DBS has been awarded EQUIS accreditation through the European Foundation for Management Development (EFMD). This global best-practice recognition places Deakin Business School in the Top 1% of business schools worldwide.

Minimum entry requirements

The Deakin MBA and MBA (Healthcare Management) have the following entry requirements:

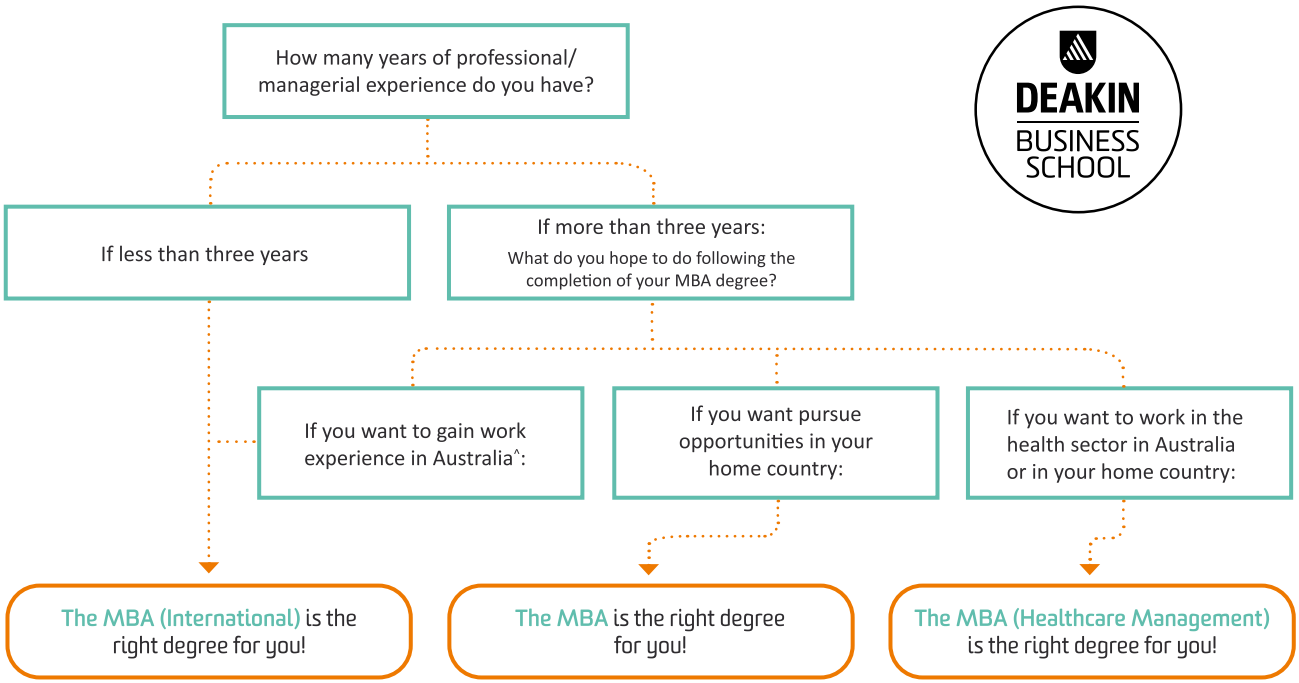
- Bachelor degree in any discipline AND three years relevant work experience*, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program AND three years relevant work experience*, OR
- Graduate certificate qualification in a related discipline AND five years relevant work experience*, OR
- Graduate diploma equivalent (professional pathways).

Deakin's MBA (International) has the following entry requirements:

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, with a minimum weighted average mark (WAM) of 65, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program.

* Must be in a managerial or professional role. Applicants must demonstrate decision-making responsibility in a range of areas, such as budgeting, staffing, project management, financial management, or other relevant professional experience. For MBA (Healthcare Management), further work experience considerations may apply. Visit the course pages on the Deakin website to learn more.

The right MBA for you



^ By completing two years of study through the MBA (International), you may be eligible for post-study work rights. Post-study work rights allow you to gain work experience in Australia for up to two years before returning to your home country.

Highly ranked

Deakin is in the Top 1% of universities worldwide for Business and Management Studies (QS). The Deakin MBA is rated 5 stars by QS University Rankings for facilities, internationalization and diversity, teaching and student quality, and engagement and program strength. Deakin's online MBA is ranked in the world's Top 20 – and the best in Australia – by QS.

Master of Business Administration

The Deakin MBA equips you with knowledge, real-world skills, and business and management best practice. Whether you are seeking a promotion or looking for a new career direction, an MBA demonstrates that you are an aspiring employee who is prepared to invest in your career.

Specialisations

You will have the opportunity to choose specialisations, including but not limited to: accounting; arts and cultural management; business analytics; business consulting; corporate governance; eBusiness and supply chain management; environmental sustainability; finance; financial planning; healthcare management; human resource management; innovation; international and community development; international trade and business; marketing; project management; property and real estate; retail management; and strategy and planning.

Course information

Course code: M701
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$43,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including:

- 8 core units
- 4 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Business Administration
- Graduate Certificate of Business Administration

Master of Business Administration (International)

The MBA (International) focuses on business for those currently working or seeking to work in an international context. The MBA (International) is for those who may not have experience as a business manager, but have aspirations to move into management. High achievers can move directly from undergraduate studies to postgraduate MBA (International) studies. You will study a broad range of business and management disciplines and develop the creative, analytical and interpersonal capabilities that are key to successful business leadership. There is also a compulsory work experience unit where you will gain industry exposure through an approved placement.

Specialisations

You will have the opportunity to choose specialisations, including: business consulting; e-business and supply chain management; finance; human resource management; international business; marketing; project management; research; retail management; and social media and mobile strategies.

Course information

Course code: M751
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$41,200
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 12 core units
- 4 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Master of Business Administration (Healthcare Management)

The MBA (Healthcare Management) is a unique, specialised course that will prepare you for management roles within the challenging – and quickly growing – global healthcare sector. Management success in the healthcare sector requires a unique combination of business skills and health policy knowledge. Through the MBA (Healthcare Management) you will draw from the combined expertise of the Deakin Business School and the Deakin School of Medicine, giving you a unique set of skills that will make you stand out among future employers.

Professional recognition

Deakin's MBA (Healthcare Management) is the most comprehensive healthcare management program currently available in Australia, and has attained the Australasian College of Health Service Management (ACHSM) accreditation. ACHSM is the peak body for healthcare executives in the Asia-Pacific. Their accreditation not only ensures quality and industry relevance, but also enhances graduate employability.

Course information

Course code: M703
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$43,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 14 core units
- 2 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit

Master of Business (Arts and Cultural Management)

Course information

Course code: M785
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 10 core units
- 6 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Business (Arts and Cultural Management)
- Graduate Certificate of Business (Arts and Cultural Management)

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Business (Arts and Cultural Management) combines both the theory and practice of arts and cultural management through a combination of reading, research and practical assignments. It provides art leaders and managers with a tailored business education that emphasises management, marketing and finance skills.

There is also the opportunity to take part in an internship project that will enable you to apply the theory learned in class to hands-on industry experience. Through this project, you will learn from professionals who are experts in their fields, gaining knowledge and valuable contacts while you study.

Career opportunities

Graduates of this program have gone on to find work in high-profile organisations, including:

- arts and cultural departments
- art galleries
- arts marketing
- ballet, theatre and opera companies
- event and festival management
- local government
- multimedia and publishing
- museums.

Leading the way

Deakin is ranked in the Top 1% of universities worldwide for Business and Management Studies (QS). Deakin Business School holds both AACSB and EQUIS accreditations. These prestigious accreditations are awarded to business schools that meet strict standards of quality, academic and professional excellence, and demonstrate a commitment to ongoing improvement and innovation in their courses.

Master of Business Analytics

Course information

Course code: M761
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 12 core units
- 4 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program, OR
- Evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Exit options

- Graduate Diploma of Business Analytics
- Graduate Certificate of Information Systems

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

We live in a world of data. Businesses are continuously looking for ways to analyse, dissect and manipulate data to better inform best practice. This is why it is becoming increasingly important for organisations to employ qualified graduates who are ready to tackle 'big data'. Deakin's Master of Business Analytics introduces a range of internationally-recognised business intelligence and analytics tools, and provides you with the skills needed for the thriving business analytics profession.

Practical focus

Deakin's Master of Business Analytics has been designed and developed in partnership with industry. It is one of the most practice-focused and industry-aligned business analytics courses available.

Our course partners include IBM, Microsoft, SAS, ALTIS Consulting, Deloitte, Ernst & Young, PBT Group and PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC). The capstone project – Decision Analytics in Practice – is developed and run entirely by PwC as a masterclass in analytics practice.

Accreditation

Deakin's Master of Business Analytics is accredited by the Australian Computer Society (ACS), offering you national and international recognition.

Career opportunities

Typical roles for business analytics graduates can include:

- business analytics professional
- business analytics translator
- data analyst
- customer insight analyst
- marketing campaign analyst
- marketing analyst.

Master of Commerce

Course information

Course code: M755
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 8 core units
- 4 specialisation units
- 4 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program, OR
- Evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Commerce
- Graduate Certificate of Commerce
- Graduate Certificate of Entrepreneurship

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Commerce is ideally suited as a first qualification in business because it delivers core business concepts and practices. With strong industry relevance, the degree is built on an innovative, technology-driven learning platform that provides you with the necessary digital competencies to discover, discuss and solve complex business problems. The program's international perspective also gives you the opportunity to explore the impact of ethics, culture and globalisation on contemporary business issues around the world.

Career opportunities

Depending on the subjects you choose, typical graduate roles may include:

- credit analyst
- data analyst
- financial broker
- financial manager
- fund manager
- international banker
- portfolio manager
- public accountant
- risk manager
- securities sales agent
- stockbroker
- treasurer.

Specialisations

Accounting B C
Arts and cultural management C
Business analytics B C
eBusiness and social media
Strategies B C
Finance B C
Financial planning B C
Information systems B C
International trade and Business B C
Marketing B C
Project management B C
Public sector studies B C

Professional recognition

Deakin's Master of Commerce is a highly regarded program, and by choosing the appropriate units you may satisfy the professional recognition requirements of Chartered Practicing Accountants (CPA) Australia, Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CA ANZ), the Institute of Public Accountants (IPA), the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), and the Institute of Certified Management Accountants (ICMA).

Graduate with a degree from two universities

Deakin Business School offers a dual degree program in the following disciplines:

- Master of Commerce specialising in marketing with Deakin University
- Master of Science International Strategic Management with Lund University in Sweden

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Master of Financial Planning

Course information

Course code: M769
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)*
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including:

- 11 core units
- 1 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline, plus two years relevant work experience, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Financial Planning
- Graduate Certificate of Financial Planning

* This course is only available for part-time study in Trimester 3.

Course overview

This degree is designed to meet the requirements of Australia's financial planning standards body. It will train you to provide innovative financial planning solutions by combining ethical decision-making with modern financial advice strategies. You will study how to apply advanced principles to meet client needs as well as the technical skills needed to utilise the latest digital tools. The program will further your understanding of investment management in relation to different asset classes, and introduce you to superannuation and retirement planning. Plus, you will learn from teachers who are active in industry, meaning you will receive valuable insight to help progress your career.

Career opportunities

As a financial planning graduate, you could find employment in:

- accounting firms
- corporate financial institutions
- financial planning firms.

Professional recognition

The Master of Financial Planning is approved by the Financial Adviser Standards and Ethics Authority (FASEA). This means graduates will be eligible to provide financial advice in Australia^ and be eligible for entry into the certification programs of the professional financial planning associations – the CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER® (CFP®) Certification Program offered by the Financial Planning Association of Australia (FPA) and the Fellow Chartered Financial Practitioner (FChFP) designation offered by the Association of Financial Advisers (AFA). Successful completion of this degree will also provide advanced standing into these two certification programs.

^ Subject to meeting other registration requirements prescribed by FASEA (including completion of a Professional Year for Provisional Relevant Providers and passing a National Adviser Exam).

Among the best

Deakin is ranked in the Top 100 worldwide for Finance (ShanghaiRankings) and the Top 200 worldwide for Business and Management Studies (QS). These rankings are informed by academic and employer reputation, as well as research impact.

Master of Human Resource Management

Course information

Course code: M782
Years (full time): 1.5*
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including:

- 8 core units
- 4 elective unit
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline PLUS 2 years of relevant work experience, OR
- Evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of Human Resource Management

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Human Resource Management meets the needs of all managers who take on responsibilities in human resource development and management. It is a specialised course that provides enhanced qualifications for graduates in business, government and industry. Human resource (HR) management is no longer regarded as the sole responsibility of a specialised department. An understanding of HR management is now an essential requirement of managers in all organisations.

The degree helps to enhance the skills that current HR professionals are utilising. It offers specialist units in organisational development and change, employment relations, human resource strategy, and analytics.

Who we work with

Deakin's human resource management degrees are delivered by experienced academic staff who engage with industry professionals from a diverse range of organisations. These include public sector, not-for-profit and various private sector enterprises.

Accreditation

Deakin's Master of Human Resource Management is accredited by the Australian Human Resources Institute (AHRI). AHRI is the national peak association that represents human resource and management professionals.

Career opportunities

Human resource management graduates find employment in a range of roles, including:

- change consultant
- employment relations officer
- HR administrator
- organisational development manager
- payroll officer
- talent acquisition officer
- training and development manager.

Master of International Finance

Course information

Course code: M750
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)^,
T3 (November)#
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 11 core units
- 5 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of International Finance
- Graduate Certificate of International Finance

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
^ All specialisations may not be available for this intake. Check with the Faculty of Business and Law for availability.
# The availability of units in Trimester 3 may be limited.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of International Finance focuses on international trade and associated financial markets. You will establish an understanding of the structure and operation of financial markets and the financial instruments used in those markets. The program adds an international perspective to finance, reflecting the increasing sophistication of financial markets in the world and their integration within international trade of the global economy. Finance professionals will be especially interested in this degree because the coursework and research components have been designed to enhance professional practice in a range of financial domains.

You will develop analytical skills for making key financial management decisions, including time-value-of-money and risk-return analysis. Plus you will learn how to apply basic mathematics to solve real-world financial problems. Through practice, you will become skilled in using various digital technologies used to process complex financial data, information and ideas.

Professional recognition

By completing the Master of International Finance, you may gain membership or eligibility to apply for membership at the Finance and Treasury Association (FTA) and the Financial Services Institute of Australasia (FINSIA), two leading professional bodies.

Career opportunities

As a graduate of the Master of International Finance, you could find employment as a:

- client account manager
- credit analyst
- finance manager
- M&A specialist
- security analyst
- security dealer
- stockbroker
- treasurer.

Study with the best

Deakin's finance programs are ranked in the Top 100 in the world by the prestigious ShanghaiRankings Global Ranking of Academic Subjects. These rankings assess research output, international collaboration and impact. You can be confident that you will learn relevant material driven by high-quality research throughout this degree.

Master of Marketing

Course information

Course code: M788
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$40,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 10 core units
- 4 specialisation units
- 2 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Marketing
- Graduate Certificate of Marketing

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

Marketers help to add value to the customer experience and build relationships between consumers and organisations. They skilfully position brands and products to better place and promote them in market. This requires great skill and knowledge about the way marketing works. Deakin's Master of Marketing focuses on practical learning, and provides opportunities for you to try your hand at managing a team to deliver marketing solutions with competing deadlines. The program offers skills in market insight, integrated marketing communication, marketing analysis, services marketing, online and international marketing.

Specialisations

Customer and digital marketing analytics B C
Public relations and image marketing B C
Research project B C

Career opportunities

A marketing qualification can open doors to careers in multinational, local, government, non-government and not-for-profit entities, in roles such as:

- big data and mobile marketing
- community management executive
- marketing assistant
- marketing coordinator
- mobile marketing manager
- product management
- marketing research analyst
- social media marketing.

Dual degree option

Deakin Business School offers a dual degree program that allows you to graduate with a degree from two universities in the following disciplines:

- Master of Marketing with Deakin University
- Master in Management – Consumer Goods Marketing with Ecole Supérieure des Sciences Commerciales d'Angers (ESSCA) in France

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Accreditation

Deakin's Master of Marketing is accredited by the Australian Marketing Institute (AMI). The AMI is the leading professional association for marketers in Australia, and provides accreditation, training and professional development opportunities to ensure members remain up-to-date with industry.

Graduate Diploma of Property

Course information

Course code: M633
Years (full time): 1
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$39,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including a 0-credit-point academic integrity unit. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a different discipline*, OR
- Two years of relevant work experience

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of Property

* Completion of a major sequence in property or real estate will classify a degree as the same discipline.

Course overview

Progress your existing property knowledge with expertise in valuation and property development, or get the qualifications you need to start a new career in the property industry. Deakin's Graduate Diploma of Property will prepare you for a range of roles, including property development, property management and valuation. The program is delivered online, and is designed in close consultation with industry. It brings together a range of built environment disciplines, from sustainable construction to property management, to provide a broad perspective on issues of relevant international significance.

Professional recognition

The Graduate Diploma of Property is recognised and professionally accredited by the Australian Property Institute (API). It is also academically accredited for Certified Practising Valuer (CPV) and Certified Property Practitioner (CPP), providing there has been prior study in the knowledge field areas of finance and accounting, commercial law, property economics, or economics. Professional association recognition means that your qualification is recognised by employers and clients across Australia.

Career opportunities

Employment opportunities exist in a range of roles, including:

- asset manager
- business broker
- investment trust manager
- portfolio manager
- property consultant/developer/manager
- rural property broker/consultant
- sales and leasing negotiator
- valuer.

Master of Communication

Course information

Course code: A743
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$32,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- Core Communication Program (4 credit points)
- Four 1-credit-point specialisation-specific units selected from one of five specialisations (Digital Media; Journalism; Public Relations; Television Production; or Visual Communication Design); and
- A 4-credit-point professional capstone program, including a work-based internship and an applied research project to boost your career prospects
- Electives (4 credit points)
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Communication
- Graduate Certificate of Communication
- Graduate Diploma of Digital Media
- Graduate Diploma of Journalism
- Graduate Diploma of Public Relations
- Graduate Diploma of Visual Communication Design

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Communication is suited to those looking to upskill in their careers, as well as those wanting to break into a new industry. Taught by industry experts, it offers flexibility in focus and structure: you have the opportunity to undertake intensive studies by choosing a specialisation. This specialisation, in combination with core units, ensures you graduate with a versatile skill set for the jobs of the future.

The degree also includes a capstone program of study. For this, you can complete either a research project relevant to industry practice or an academic research project, which offers a potential pathway into PhD studies. This hands-on-learning focus is further supported by access to state-of-the-art facilities. Depending on your area of study, you may use Deakin's newsroom, TV production facilities, and sound recording studios.

Graduates have found work as public relations practitioners, media advisers, journalists, project officers in government, communications officers and coordinators, technical writers, producers, and more.

Specialisations

Digital media B C
Journalism B C
Public relations B C
Television production B
Visual communication design B C

Professional membership

If you choose to specialise in public relations as part of this degree, you may be eligible for accredited student membership with the Public Relations Institute of Australia (PRIA). This membership can create a point of difference for you when applying for jobs.

Among the world's best

Deakin has been ranked in the Top 150 universities globally for Communication and Media Studies by prestigious university rankings organisation QS. That is in the top 1% worldwide!

Master of Arts (Writing and Literature)

Course information

Course code: A764
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$32,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

Option 1

- 6 credit points from a single specialisation strand
- 4 credit points of capstone units and 6 credit points of electives, OR
- 6 credit points of capstone units and 4 credit points of electives
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Option 2

- 6 credit points of cross disciplinary study (including 2 credit points of writing units and 2 credit points of literacy study units)
- 4 credit points of capstone units and 6 credit points of electives, OR
- 6 credit points of capstone units and 4 credit points of electives
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Children's Literature
- Graduate Diploma of Creative Writing
- Graduate Diploma of Literary Studies
- Graduate Diploma of Professional Writing
- Graduate Diploma of Writing and Literature
- Graduate Certificate of Writing and Literature

Course overview

The Master of Arts (Writing and Literature) offers you the chance to focus on your interests through advanced study in a writing or literature specialisation. Students undertake coursework relevant to their specialisation, as well as a substantial research project (thesis) under the supervision of an academic with a professional research record. The unique research pathway brings you a new level of intellectual stimulation and personal enrichment, and the opportunity to contribute to a wider debate within your field, often through publication.

Specialisations

Children's literature C
Literary studies B C
Professional writing B C
Creative writing B C

Learn from the experts

Our staff have extensive industry experience meaning you will gain relevant insights and invaluable contacts. Many of our academic staff are also leading international scholars and published authors, including Antonia Pont, Jodi McAlister, and Maria Takolander.

Master of Creative Arts

Course information

Course code: A759
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B WF
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)*
2021 annual fee: A$32,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 8 credit points of coursework units
- 4 credit points of research units
- 4 credit points of electives
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in the same discipline area or approved international equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Creative Arts
- Graduate Certificate of Creative Arts

* This intake only available at the Melbourne Burwood Campus.

Course overview

This program is designed to further develop your undergraduate creative arts experience into a professional creative arts practice. It will enhance your career as a creative practitioner by giving you advanced academic and professional skills in practice-focused research.
You will work within your creative arts discipline and produce two major projects across the two years of the program. Working with leading industry experts, this internationally-focused qualification enables you to develop your professional creative arts practice and offers a pathway to further study.

Specialisations

Animation and motion capture B
Dance B
Drama B
Photography B WF
Visual arts B WF
Visual communication design B

State-of-the-art facilities

Learn in purpose-built facilities to enhance your knowledge and prepare you for work upon graduation. Based on professional recommendations, we are continually improving our facilities so they are at the forefront of technology, providing students with access to the most up-to-date, industry-standard equipment. Our students use dedicated studios for dance, drama, animation, visual arts and visual communications design, along with photographic darkrooms, lighting and digital imaging suites.

Innovative programs

Deakin's creative arts programs are regularly updated to ensure the best fit between critical study, professional preparation and a great student experience. You will benefit from the broad range of disciplines on offer, allowing for interdisciplinary exploration and inspiration.

Career outcomes

Graduates will be well placed for a successful career in media production, from filmmaking, advertising, sports media, and broadcast television to the production of online content.

Master of Film and Television

Course information

Course code: A706
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$32,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 12 credit points of coursework units
- 4 credit points of elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic ability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Film and Television
- Graduate Certificate of Film and Television

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

The Master of Film and Television will help to develop your production skills within emerging media forms. You will explore a wide range of film and television methods and theories, including screen production, story telling, production, documentary production, screen visual effects, and much more.

From the first year you will work towards completing a major folio project – a valuable resource to show future employers. You will establish the significant soft skills required for success in media industries, such as teamwork and collaboration, problem-solving, and a high level of personal organisation. You will also learn how to present your folio and achievements, which will prepare you for future employment opportunities.

Industry-standard equipment and facilities

Film and television students can borrow professional-grade equipment for projects and practice, including lighting, audio gear, 16mm film and digital video cameras, and still SLR cameras. You will also have access to:

- a high definition television broadcast studio
- green screen studio
- outside broadcast van for live event production
- Motion.Lab motion capture facility.

Practical focus

Practical experience is a core component of this degree. You will undertake a minimum of 100 hours in industry, gaining professional work experience with an approved host organisation. Internships may be undertaken across a broad range of industry sectors, corporate/government/community organisations, associations or with practitioners involved in the fields of film, video, television, sound, animation and communications/digital media.

Education

Deakin offers multiple postgraduate education degrees. The degree you choose will depend on your career aspirations.

Learn from experts

Deakin education staff are active researchers in the field, working to improve the quality of learning for all students. Deakin staff have developed strong partnerships with education communities, governments and research institutions. Students benefit from these partnerships by gaining industry-relevant experience and professional contacts.

Related programs

- Graduate Certificate of Education
- Graduate Certificate of Education Business Leadership
- Graduate Certificate of Education Research
- Graduate Certificate of Higher Education (Learning and Teaching)

Education and teaching ranked 32nd in the world

Deakin is ranked 32nd in the world for its education courses, based on the QS World University Rankings. These rankings are informed by academic and employer reputation, as well as research impact.

Master of Education

Deakin's Master of Education is a leading course for teachers and other education professionals. It brings together advanced learning, professional education, inclusive education, and international education through coursework and research. The course provides graduates with the skills and knowledge to tackle the challenging and dynamic nature of education, as well as providing a rigorous research pathway to a PhD in education.

Course information

Course code: E771
Years (full time): 1.5*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$30,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Specialisations

Professional education and training C
Inclusive education B C
International education C

Structure

12 credit points in one of the following configurations:

Option 1: Dual Specialist Strand

- 2 credit points of core units
- 4 credit points of research units
- 4 credit points of electives from a single specialist strand
- 2 credit points of electives from another specialist strand
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Option 2: Research Intensive Strand

- 2 credit points of core units
- 6 credit points of research units
- 4 credit points of electives from a single specialist strand
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline plus two years relevant work experience, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent

Master of Education (Leadership and Management)

The management of learning is becoming a key focus for many organisations within the education sector. A popular specialist degree for education professionals, this program develops your skills and prepares you for a leadership role. While schools are a focus for much of this degree, the basic ideas are equally applicable to other learning organisations and those who work within them.

Course information

Course code: E732
Years (full time): 1.5*
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$30,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Specialisations

Professional education and training C
International education C

Structure

12 credit points in one of the following configurations:

Option 1

- 4 credit points of core units
- 4 credit points of research units
- 4 credit points of electives from a single specialist strand
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Option 2

- 4 credit points of core units
- 6 credit points of research units
- 2 credit points of electives from a single specialist strand
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline plus two years relevant work experience, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

* Students entering the degree with a related academic or professional background may be eligible for credit transfer and recognition for up to 4 of the foundation units, reducing the full-time duration.

Partnerships

Deakin has developed strong partnerships with education communities, governments and research institutions in Australia and overseas, particularly in Europe, the Asia-Pacific region and Latin America. The Centre for Teaching and Learning Languages (CTaLL) is a research group within the TESOL/Languages team at Deakin that develops these connections and serves as a forum for our students.

Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

Course information

Course code: E757
Years (full time): 1.5*
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$32,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including:

- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 4 credit points from Stream A, OR
- 4 credit points from Stream B, PLUS
- 8 credit points of study as a combination of research and elective units in one of the following configurations:

Option 1

- 2 credit points of research units,
- 6 credit points of electives.

Option 2

- 4 credit points of research units,
- 4 credit points of electives.

Option 3

- 6 credit points of research units,
- 2 credit points of electives.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in education, OR
- Bachelor degree with a major sequence in the field of education, whether or not it is an initial teacher qualification, OR
- Bachelor degree in a related discipline in language studies, including linguistics, English language studies, or translation.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

*Students entering the degree with a related academic or professional background may be eligible for credit transfer and recognition for up to 4 of the foundation units, reducing the full-time duration.

Course overview

This degree is open to qualified professionals, including teachers and international graduates in the field of education and training. When you complete this course, you will be able to teach English to speakers of other languages in nearly any school or institution (dependent on what level of teaching you are qualified for – primary, secondary or other).

Choose your path

Two streams are available as part of this degree.

Stream A^ is for students with an existing teaching qualification for primary or secondary teaching in Australia (or an overseas teaching qualification recognised in Australia for purposes of registration), who wish to work as a TESOL specialist in any sector in Australia or overseas.

Stream B is for students who are not eligible for teacher registration in Australia (primary or secondary); Stream B students may already be working in the adult TESOL sector in Australia, or may be working or wish to seek employment overseas.

^Stream A applies only to candidates eligible for teacher registration in Australia.

Teaching

The CASPer test

All Master of Teaching applicants must complete an additional selection tool for non-academic attributes. Deakin uses the CASPer test. Learn more at **deakin.edu.au/pg-casper.**

Deakin offers a number of Master of Teaching programs. The degree you choose will depend on the area you wish to focus on.

Education and teaching ranked 32nd in the world

Deakin is ranked 32nd in the world for its education courses, based on the QS World University Rankings. These are informed by academic and employer reputation, as well as research impact.

Accreditation

All of Deakin's Master of Teaching programs are fully accredited by the Victorian Institute of Teaching (VIT) and Early Childhood programs by the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority.

Career opportunities

There is a strong demand for qualified teachers, which has resulted in improvements in teaching conditions, resources and career advancement opportunities. As a Deakin graduate you may find employment within the education sector in Australia or overseas.

Hands-on experience

Our professional experience program gives you real-life teaching experience and study credit for your degree. You will undertake supervised professional experience, packing your resume with practical know-how and sought-after skills that employers look for.

Links with the education sector

Deakin's education programs are developed in consultation with principals, teachers and the Victorian Institute of Teaching (VIT) and Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority, ensuring the curriculum addresses the needs of industry. Deakin also has several school alliances. These provide opportunities for extensive placements in schools beyond those that form the usual course requirements.

Master of Teaching (Early Childhood)

This degree prepares graduates for employment as early childhood teachers in programs for children from birth to five years, in Australia and overseas. It provides industry practice through 70 days of supervised professional experience. The unique elective pathways allow students to build on their interest and discipline knowledge. The program offers an internship opportunity in the final phase of study.

Course information

Course code: E761
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$30,200
IELTS score: 7/7*

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 11 core units – 12 credit points
- 4 credit points of specialisations units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Specialisations

Early Childhood Education Inquiry B C
Internship C
Research B C
International Baccalaureate Early Years (Primary Years Programme (PYP)) B C

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a different discipline, OR
- Degree in Primary or Secondary Teaching.

* IELTS band score of 7 (with no band less than 7) and speaking and listening of 7.5.

Master of Teaching (Primary and Early Childhood)

This degree is a professional teaching qualification that enables graduates to register as teachers in both early childhood education and across all levels of primary school. You will study units relevant to early childhood and primary education, including curriculum, maths, science, the arts, English/literacy, technology, humanities, health and physical education, and play pedagogy. The program also includes 90 days of practical teaching placement that helps ensure you have the real-world experience needed to launch into your teaching career.

Course information

Course code: E764
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$30,200
IELTS score: 7/7*

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 15 core units (16 credit points)
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 2 zero-credit-point units for Literacy and Numeracy Testing for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE).

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in a different discipline or bachelor degree in secondary teaching with successful completion of the equivalent of one full-time year of study in content relevant to the Australian Curriculum for primary schools, including a minor in science, health, the arts, mathematics/numeracy or English/literacy for specialisation.

* IELTS band score of 7 (with no band less than 7) and speaking and listening of 7.5.

Master of Teaching (Primary)

The degree qualifies students to seek registration as a primary school teacher. It includes core learning areas of the Australian primary curriculum and provides opportunities to undertake advanced study of teaching in a curriculum learning area. The program provides a range of professional learning experiences through at least 60 days of supervised professional experience (70 days for Primary Extended Curriculum).

Course information

Course code: E762
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$30,200
IELTS score: 7/7*

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 11 core units (12 credit points)
- 4 credit points of specialisation units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 2 zero-credit-point units for Literacy and Numeracy Testing for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE).

Specialisations

Primary extended curriculum B C
Internship C

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in a different discipline, with successful completion of the equivalent of one full-time year of study in content relevant to the Australian Curriculum for primary schools, including a minor in one specific curriculum content area for specialisation.

* IELTS band score of 7 (with no band less than 7) and speaking and listening of 7.5.

Master of Teaching (Primary and Secondary)

This program will prepare you to work as a teacher across all primary and secondary levels. Study core units to enhance your teaching skills and decide on which student level you would like to teach later. Alongside core studies in education, you will complete two secondary curriculum studies from the following learning areas: English; mathematics; science; humanities; languages; health and physical education and the arts. You will also gain industry experience in schools through 80 days of supervised placement.

Course information

Course code: E765
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$30,200
IELTS score: 7/7*

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 11 core units (12 credit points)
- 2 curriculum study units in a first teaching method area
- 2 curriculum study units in a second teaching method area
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 2 zero-credit-point units for Literacy and Numeracy Testing for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE).

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in a different discipline, including successful completion of major and minor studies in at least two curriculum areas recognised by Deakin.

* IELTS band score of 7 (with no band less than 7) and speaking and listening of 7.5.

Master of Teaching (Secondary)

Completing this degree will enable you to teach in secondary schools from junior secondary to high school levels. Graduates can take up education positions within organisations, cultural institutions, TAFE and adult community educational settings. The degree offers a range of industry-based learning through 60 days of supervised professional experience. Alongside core studies in education, you will complete two secondary curriculum studies from the following learning areas: English; mathematics; science; humanities; languages; health and physical education and the arts.

Course information

Course code: E763
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$30,200
IELTS score: 7/7*

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 7 core units – 8 credit points
- 2 curriculum study units in a first teaching method area
- 2 curriculum study units in a second teaching method area
- 4 credit points of specialisations units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 2 zero-credit-point units for Literacy and Numeracy Testing for Initial Teacher Education (LANTITE).

Specialisations

Inclusive Education B C
Languages Teaching B C
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) B C
Research B C
Internship C

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in a different discipline, including successful completion of major and minor studies in at least two curriculum areas recognised by Deakin.

* IELTS band score of 7 (with no band less than 7) and speaking and listening of 7.5.Engineering

Master of Energy System Management

Deakin offers two postgraduate energy systems management programs.

What you will learn

Study Deakin's Master of Energy System Management or Master of Energy System Management (Professional) to develop the skills needed to work in professional teams to develop evidence-based engineering solutions. Your learning will focus on practical and real-world problems that blend project-based and workplace learning. Upon graduation, you will be equipped with broad knowledge and skills to tackle problems associated with energy systems that include efficiency, services, and renewable and alternative energy problems.

The right degree for you

The degree you choose to study depends on your prior experience and future aspirations. The Master of Energy System Management (Professional) has extended discipline knowledge and essential skill development in research and project delivery. In addition, studying this two-year degree could mean you are eligible for post-study work rights in Australia.

Master of Energy System Management

Course code: S756
Years (full time): 1
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 4 engineering core units
- 4 energy system management units
- 3 zero-credit-point units relating to work placement, safety and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

Four-year bachelor degree in a related engineering discipline.

Master of Energy System Management (Professional)

Course code: S757
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

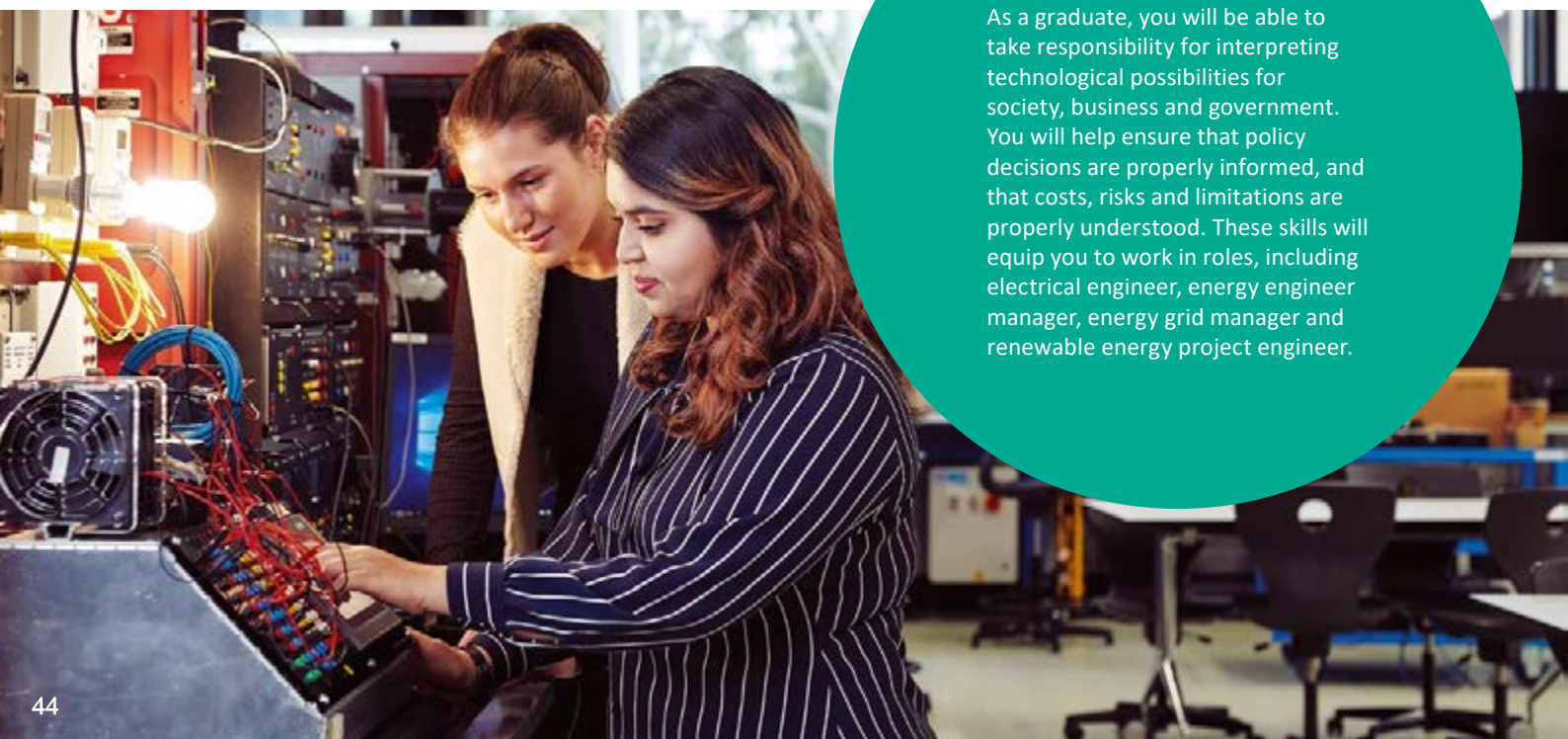
- 4 engineering core units
- 8 energy system management units
- 3 project/research units (4 credit points)
- 3 zero-credit-point units relating to work placement, safety and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

Four-year bachelor degree in a related engineering discipline.

Career outcomes

As a graduate, you will be able to take responsibility for interpreting technological possibilities for society, business and government. You will help ensure that policy decisions are properly informed, and that costs, risks and limitations are properly understood. These skills will equip you to work in roles, including electrical engineer, energy engineer manager, energy grid manager and renewable energy project engineer.



Career outcomes

The combined skillsets in engineering and management will provide graduates with a variety of industry opportunities. Positions exist in infrastructure systems design, operation, management, and maintenance operations in both government and independent consulting groups.

Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management

Deakin offers two postgraduate infrastructure engineering and management programs.

What you will learn

Study Deakin's Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management or Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management (Professional) to extend your knowledge in infrastructure engineering and management systems through a unique blend of engineering and architecture units. Throughout your degree, you will acquire critical thinking, innovative problem-solving and entrepreneurial skills that employers are looking for. Upon graduation, you will be equipped with the broad knowledge and skills to tackle significant infrastructure projects, while deeply assessing the technological, economic and social impact of infrastructure provision in different development settings and regional and metropolitan profiles.

The right degree for you

The degree you choose to study depends on your prior experience and future aspirations. The Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management (Professional) has extended discipline knowledge and essential skill development in research and project delivery. In addition, studying this two-year degree could mean you are eligible for post-study work rights in Australia.

Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management

Course code: S758
Years (full time): 1
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 4 engineering core units
- 4 infrastructure engineering units
- 3 zero-credit-point units relating to work placement, safety and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

Four-year bachelor degree in a related engineering discipline.

Master of Infrastructure Engineering and Management (Professional)

Course code: S759
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 4 engineering core units
- 8 infrastructure engineering units
- 3 project/research units (4 credit points)
- 3 zero-credit-point units relating to work placement, safety and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

Four-year bachelor degree in a related engineering discipline.

The right degree for you

Are you wondering which Deakin Engineering degree is right for you? The difference is in the entry requirements. The Master of Engineering is for students who have a three-year engineering degree or don't quite meet the Australian standards to gain engineering accreditation. You will take a specialisation in a related engineering discipline from your previous studies while at Deakin. Whereas the Master of Engineering (Professional) requires a four-year degree in any Engineering discipline and allows you to take a specialisation that gives you exposure to new areas within Engineering.

Master of Engineering

Deakin's postgraduate engineering programs go beyond theory, offering strong industry links, state-of-the-art facilities and practical hands-on experience.

In high demand

Demand for professional engineers continues to increase, and employers are looking for graduates who are fully equipped with advanced engineering, project management and interpersonal skills. Our Engineering degrees aim to strengthen, build and extend your understanding of the engineering principles required for successful engineering careers in Australia and overseas.

Outstanding facilities

As a Deakin engineering student, you will have world-class facilities and equipment at your fingertips. You will experience state-of-the-art laboratory facilities, including the AusNet Services engineering lab, 3D printing laboratory, high voltage lab, virtual reality laboratory, and more. You will have access to infrastructure facilities for design of buildings, transportation networks, water and wastewater systems. The Geelong Future Economy Precinct (GFEP) is home to many innovative research centres and provides unique resources and facilities for research aimed at industry cooperation and research application.

Highly ranked

Deakin is ranked in the Top 1% worldwide for Engineering and Technology by *Times Higher Education,* which is a reflection of the University's high-quality engineering program.

Master of Engineering

The Master of Engineering assists you in acquiring advanced engineering skills and the forward-thinking, innovative and entrepreneurial skills employers are looking for. It aims to strengthen and extend your understanding of engineering through the pursuit of a specialisation that aligns with your undergraduate studies. This course will accelerate your career to become a professional engineer. Core technical skills, specialist units and a supervised project are combined with a 12-week work placement as a professional engineer.

Course information

Course code: S752
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 7 core units (totalling 9 credit points)
- 1 elective unit
- 6 specialisation units
- 3 zero-credit-point units relating to work placement, safety and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

Three-year bachelor degree (or equivalent) in a related engineering discipline.

Specialisations

Civil engineering WP
Electrical and renewable energy engineering WP
Mechanical engineering design WP
Mechatronics engineering WP

Exit options

Graduate Diploma of Engineering

Master of Engineering (Professional)

This degree will develop your technical skills, a positive approach to problem-solving and the ability to work as part of a team, while focusing on practical experience. And through a supervised research or industry project you will be provided with advanced project management skills required to tackle complex, industry-focused problems head on.

Course information

Course code: S751
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$38,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 4 core units
- 4 elective units
- 8 specialisation units
- 3 zero-credit-point units relating to work placement, safety and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

- Four-year bachelor degree in a related engineering discipline, OR
- Membership of Engineers Australia, or equivalent professional body.

Specialisations

Additive manufacturing WP
Civil engineering WP
Electrical and renewable energy engineering WP
Engineering management WP
Mechanical engineering design WP
Mechatronics and control engineering WP

Exit options

Graduate Diploma of Engineering

Master of Health Economics

Course information

Course code: H704
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$33,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 8 core units
- 4-6 elective units, depending on choice of minor or major project.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or higher in any discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Course overview

If you are a health professional or economist interested in furthering your knowledge of health economics, then this is the degree for you. Join the largest health economics team in Australia and begin to understand the complexities of the economics of health. The program prepares graduates for a range of areas – from nursing and pharmacy to commerce and public health – with specialist training in the application of health economics to health policy, health technology assessment and the healthcare system.

Who we work with

Our students benefit from Deakin's partnerships with a range of federal and state government departments, national and international research institutes, universities, and large national not-for-profit organisations. Some of our current collaborators include:

- Cancer Council Victoria
- Centre on Population Approaches for Non-Communicable Disease Prevention, Oxford University
- The George Institute for Global Health
- Pacific Research Centre for the Prevention of Obesity and Non-Communicable Diseases (C-POND)
- World Health Organization, Western Pacific Region.

A leader in public health and economics

Deakin has been ranked in the Top 1% in the world for Public Health (ShanghaiRankings) and is a leader in Finance and Economics. This means that you can be confident that your Deakin health economics degree will be respected by future employers.

Master of Health and Human Services Management

Course information

Course code: H756
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$37,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 10 core units
- 6 elective units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or higher in any discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Health and Human Services Management is suited to those interested in working in the sector in a senior management or leadership position, as well as those who currently hold senior positions in the industry. You will develop skills required for leadership and strategic planning, health needs assessment and evaluation, program planning and monitoring, resource and project management, and communication and negotiation.

The degree allows you to choose elective study options that align with your career aspirations and interests. Elective units can be chosen from specialty areas, such as health economics, public health research and business administration. You will also choose whether to focus on a research or coursework project, enabling you to construct a study program that best meets your interests.

Career opportunities

Career opportunities for graduates exist in:

- government departments and agencies
- hospitals and primary healthcare services
- non-government organisations
- welfare organisations.

Advance your career

The unique combination of units in this degree – from public health, economics, management and business administration – will help you develop your leadership and management skills in health. These skills are relevant in diverse areas, from hospitals through to disability services, and will give you an advantage when applying for jobs.

Master of Health Promotion

Course information

Course code: H759
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$37,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 8 core units
- 8 elective units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or higher in any discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Diploma of Health Promotion

Course overview

Preventing illness and promoting health are major aspects of the work of health agencies in all developed and developing countries. You will examine strategies that help people take action for their own health, strengthen community action and create environments that are more supportive of health. These include policy environments, physical environments, social environments and economic environments.

Research partnerships

Deakin has partnerships with local, state, national and international health authorities and organisations. These connections will give you access to cutting-edge health promotion practice, enhance your health promotion skills, and help you to develop attributes valued by employers, such as critical analysis, creativity, reflective practice and lifelong learning. Some of our partnerships include:

- Barwon Health
- Cancer Council Victoria
- Country Fire Authority
- Diabetes Australia
- Heart Foundation
- Oxfam
- VicHealth
- YMCA Australia.

Master of Public Health

Course information

Course code: H757
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$37,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 8 core units
- 8 elective units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or higher in any discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

Are you interested in developing health-promoting environments, identifying public health priorities, generating initiatives for policy and action, and developing interventions that ensure equity in the health system? If yes, then our Master of Public Health is for you. Throughout this degree you will focus on evidence-based action that drives positive change across health systems. You will develop an understanding of global public health challenges and learn strategies and practical techniques to take action on these challenges, prevent diseases, and promote the conditions that optimise population health.

Many students study this course to progress in their current roles or to obtain senior positions. The degree is ideal for both clinical and non-clinical health professionals, as well as graduates from other fields who are passionate about improving the health of individuals, communities and populations.

Graduate outcomes

As a graduate, you will be equipped to use the latest research to form strategies that tackle global health issues. You will bring ideas to life through creating initiatives for policy change. Your initiatives will address disease prevention from a big-picture angle and promote the conditions that optimise population health.

Career pathways exist in seven areas:

- applied research
- environments for health
- health economics and management
- health promotion
- humanitarian assistance
- public health nutrition
- public health practice.

Ranked in the world's Top 1%!

Deakin's public health programs are among the world's best. We are ranked in the Top 1% of universities in the world for Public Health, according to ShanghaiRankings Global Ranking of Academic Subjects. This means your Deakin Master of Public Health will be respected by employers, providing you with better job prospects.

Master of International Relations (International)

Course information

Course code: A703I
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$32,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 6 core units
- 1 specialisation
- 7 credit points of study combining research and elective units in one of the following configurations:

Option 1

- 1 credit point of research units
- 6 credit points of electives chosen from the course electives.

Option 2

- 2 credit points of research units
- 5 credit points of electives chosen from the course electives.

Option 3

- 4 credit points of research units
- 3 credit points of electives chosen from the course electives.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of International Relations

Course overview

Gain the knowledge to examine key issues in a global context with the Master of International Relations (International). You will develop skills in policy analysis, get a systematic understanding of the threats to peace and security, and global forces shaping political, social and economic life.

The Master of International Relations (International) is ideal if you work in public service, the private sector or for a small business.

Top 1% for Politics and International Studies

Deakin has been ranked in the Top 1% of all universities worldwide for Politics and International Studies by QS. These rankings assess research output, international collaboration and impact.

Specialisations

Conflict and security B C
Diplomacy and activism B C
Human rights and international law B C

The quickest path to a masters qualification

Students with relevant experience can complete a one-year **Master of International Relations** (A703) degree, which is the quickest path to a masters qualification. Entry into the 8-credit-point masters depends on your previous studies.

Structure – 8 credit points, including:

- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 3 core units
- 5 credit points of study combining research and elective units

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Master of Cultural Heritage

Course information

Course code: A787
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$34,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Museum Studies
- Graduate Certificate of Museum Studies

*A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- 6 core units
- 10 credit points of study combining research and elective units in one of the following configurations:

Option 1: Research Paper

- 1 credit point of research training
- 1 credit point independent research project
- 8 credit points of Cultural Heritage and Museum Studies electives.

Option 2: Minor Thesis A & Minor Thesis B

- 1 credit point of research training
- 2 credit points independent research project
- 7 credit points of Cultural Heritage and Museum Studies electives.

Option 3: Major Thesis A and Major Thesis B

- 1 credit point research training
- 4 credit points of Cultural Heritage and Museum Studies electives
- 5 credit points independent research project.

Course overview

Develop the skills and experience to make a difference in the cultural heritage sector. Whether you are a mid-career professional consolidating your practical experience, are looking for a change in career, or are a recent graduate who would like to work in museums or heritage organisations, Deakin's Master of Cultural Heritage provides a pathway into employment in this diverse and exciting field. You may want to work with collections; manage a museum or heritage site; or protect and interpret significant sites, landscapes or intangible cultural heritage. Through this program, you will learn about heritage principles and practice across many disciplines.

Dual award program

Deakin has partnered with the Brandenburg University of Technology (BTU) in Cottbus-Senftenberg, Germany, to deliver a dual-award program. The program results in two degrees: Deakin's Master of Cultural Heritage and BTU's Master of World Heritage Studies. The aim of the program is to educate museum and heritage management specialists with cross-sectoral knowledge. Graduates can identify, assess, protect, manage and promote cultural heritage objects, collections, sites and archives, with a focus on intangible heritage knowledge and practices. A group internship in Melbourne and a study project in Cottbus are built into the program, underlining the development of teamwork talents in an industry environment.

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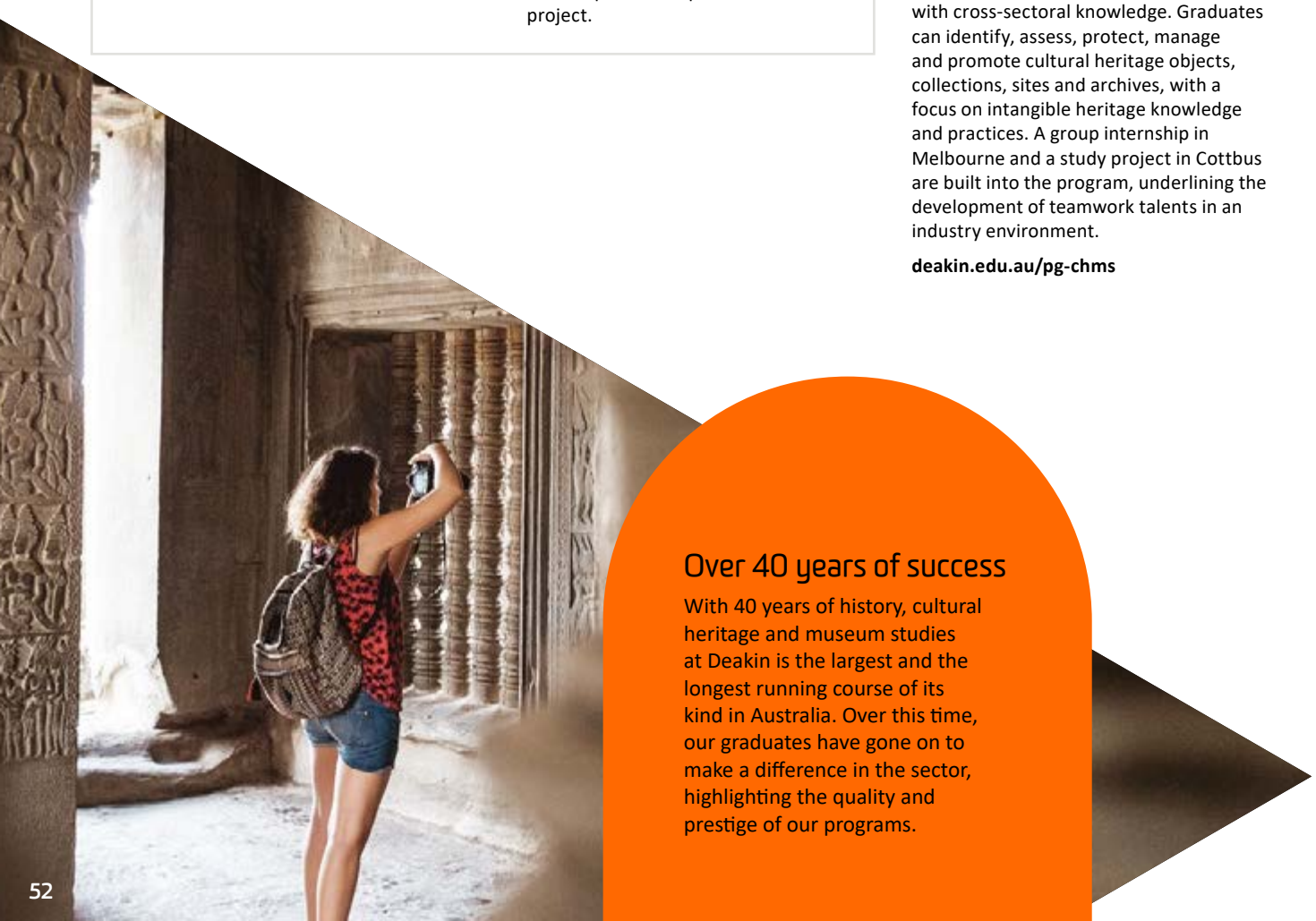


Over 40 years of success

With 40 years of history, cultural heritage and museum studies at Deakin is the largest and the longest running course of its kind in Australia. Over this time, our graduates have gone on to make a difference in the sector, highlighting the quality and prestige of our programs.

Master of Sustainable Development and Humanitarian Action

Course information

Course code: A705
Years (part time): 1.5
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$12,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points and a 0-credit-point academic integrity unit. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor honours degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, PLUS two years relevant work experience, OR
- Graduate certificate or graduate diploma in a related discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Certificate of Sustainable Development and Humanitarian Action
- Master of Humanitarian Assistance

Course overview

Natural disasters, poverty, injustice, conflict: all around the world, the environment in which development and humanitarian workers find themselves is more complex than ever. This course – developed in association with Save the Children – builds a unique, global platform where development and humanitarian practitioners and academics can share knowledge and experience. It has a focus on improving leadership, preparedness and response capacities to national and international emergencies and developmental issues. Deakin's Master of Sustainable Development and Humanitarian Action provides you with the analytical skills needed to understand the contexts of development and humanitarian programs, as well as practical skills to apply in the field.

Trial this course on FutureLearn

The coursework units of the Master of Sustainable Development and Humanitarian Action are delivered on FutureLearn: a highly flexible, easy-to-use online learning platform that connects you with practitioners and Deakin students from all over the world for a truly global perspective.

Units delivered on FutureLearn are broken down into easily manageable two-week blocks, allowing you to gain an insight into what the degree has to offer. The first two-week block of this course is delivered for free, meaning you can get a taste for Deakin's world-class education before deciding to continue on to complete the program.

Master of Humanitarian Assistance

Course information

Course code: A767
Years (full time): 1*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)^
2021 annual fee: A$28,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 4 credit points of core units
- 4 credit points of a combination of research and elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor honours degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, plus two years relevant work experience, OR
- Graduate certificate or graduate diploma in a related discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Diploma of Humanitarian Assistance

* International students studying in Australia may package the Master of Humanitarian Assistance with the Graduate Diploma of Humanitarian Assistance for a total duration of 2 years.
^ Intake available at the Cloud Campus (online) only.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Humanitarian Assistance is the first course of its kind in the Asia-Pacific region. This degree will provide you with a unique combination of theory, practice and reflection using cloud-based and intensive located modes of learning. Combined with research and field experience, the Master of Humanitarian Assistance enables students to be better equipped, effective and highly-skilled practitioners in the sector.

The program incorporates practical experience throughout, and there is the opportunity to complete an internship in Australia or another country. There is also an option to complete an exchange experience at a European university through the Network of Humanitarian Action (NOHA) masters program.

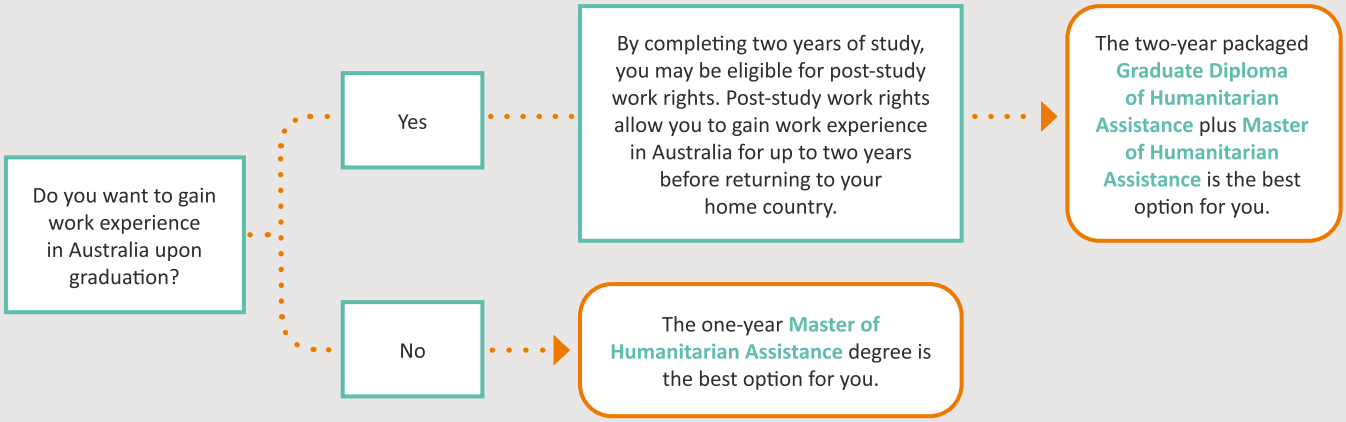
Partnerships

You will benefit from Deakin's strong partnerships with relevant international non-government organisations (NGOs), United Nations agencies, other locally-based NGOs, government agencies such as Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, and other relevant stakeholders in the sector.

Centre for Humanitarian Leadership

Almost 68.5 million people are displaced around the world due to conflict and disaster, and with the severity and frequency of disasters increasing, the humanitarian sector is facing significant challenges. This is why Deakin – in partnership with Save the Children Australia – established the Centre for Humanitarian Leadership. Through teaching, research, policy development and innovation for the humanitarian sector, the centre better serves communities affected by crisis with more responsive, efficient and relevant actions. The centre enables Deakin students to learn from those with real and practical experience in the humanitarian field.

The right study option for you



Master of International and Community Development

Course information

Course code: A765
Years (full time): 1
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$31,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 1 core unit
- 1 research option (1 or 2 credit points)
- One of three streams (2 to 4 credit points)
- Course electives (up to 4 credit points)
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor honours degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, plus two years relevant work experience, OR
- Graduate certificate or graduate diploma in a related discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of International and Community Development

Course overview

Effective development promotes justice, reduces poverty and builds environments so that people can lead fulfilling lives. Development programs and project work for poverty reduction are major areas of professional employment. If you are looking to develop your career in international and/or community development, or are looking to gain work in the sector, Deakin's Master of International and Community Development provides the right industry links and connections from within the field to give you a head start. As part of this course, you will undertake research in a relevant area, and will develop the knowledge and practical skills to allow you to undertake projects that benefit the communities in which you work.

Gain international experience

You will have the opportunity to gain valuable skills and make international connections through one of our many internship and study abroad options. Past students have undertaken professional internships at organisations, including Transparency International Mongolia and World Hope International. You can also participate in onshore internships with an international organisation.

Career opportunities

If compassion motivates you, advance your existing career by gaining relevant, skills-based, theoretically sound professional qualifications. This will help you complete project work and reduce poverty in local and international communities. Career opportunities could include working in:

- government agencies
- international development organisations
- non-government organisations
- community-based organisations
- internationally oriented businesses.

Master of Politics and Policy

Course information

Course code: A702
Years (full time): 1
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$31,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 3 credit points of compulsory core units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit
- Up to 4 credit points of course electives and a 1 or 2 credit point research capstone in one of the following configurations:

Option 1: Research Paper (full-time)

- 1 credit point of research units
- 4 credit points of electives

Option 2: Research Minor Thesis (part-time)

- 2 credit points of research units
- 3 credit points of electives

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor honours degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, plus two years relevant work experience, OR
- Graduate certificate or graduate diploma in a related discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of Politics and Policy

Course overview

Prepare to tackle current social and political challenges – such as gender equality and asylum seekers – by building your media campaigning skills and engaging in lively discussions. Deakin's Master of Politics and Policy focuses on the development, implementation and politics of public policy. Explore our role as citizens; the nature of diverse ideologies; and the close relations between government, the private sector and community organisations.

With a dual focus on politics and public policy, Deakin offers a wide range of units to appeal to public sector, business, NGO and community sector managers and leaders, and those wishing to move into this area. You will undertake practical training focused on the relations between government, the private sector and community organisations, and between different levels of government.

We're one of the best

Deakin is ranked in the Top 1% of universities worldwide for Politics and International Studies (2019 QS Subject Rankings).

Career opportunities

Our graduates gain employment in many fields, including:

- business
- foreign affairs
- government organisations
- intelligence and security
- journalism
- policy advocacy, design, analysis and research
- politics
- public relations and lobbying
- public service
- speechwriting
- teaching.

Graduate Certificate of Humanitarian Health

Course information

Course code: A590
Years (part time): 1
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$10,800
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

4 credit points, including:

- 2 core units
- 2 units from a selected list
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- At least two years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).

Course overview

Identify and manage the health needs and issues that emerge in a variety of environments. You can build upon your existing knowledge or delve into an entirely new area through Deakin's humanitarian health program, and work towards helping those in humanitarian crises.

The Graduate Certificate in Humanitarian Health will equip health professionals with the essential knowledge and skills to identify and manage the public and clinical health needs and issues that emerge in complex humanitarian contexts and low-resource environments. This course is an online, part-time program that incorporates a unique mix of theory, practice and reflection. You will learn from experts, leaders, thinkers and researchers from within the humanitarian sector, all through Deakin's innovative Cloud Campus (online).

Humanitarian Health Scholarship

You may be eligible to apply for Deakin's Humanitarian Health Scholarship. A fee reduction of between 50% and 100% is available only to international students. It could provide you with financial support while you study. Eligibility criteria apply.

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Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence

Deakin offers two postgraduate artificial intelligence degrees. The degree you choose to study will depend on your previous studies and work experience.

A growing industry

Artificial intelligence (AI) is making a huge impact across many industries and is redefining how organisations operate. It allows us to use the power of machines to implement intelligent automation and eliminate time-consuming manual processes. Organisations are now looking to take advantage of AI technology and this is creating a demand for skilled professionals.

Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence

Artificial Intelligence is being used every day to help improve healthcare operations, national security, defence, social media, manufacturing and much more. The Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence will develop your understanding of the technology and processes that are used in AI, including deep learning, reinforcement learning, and the application of these algorithms in computer vision and speech processing.

Course information

Course code: S736
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, depending on your professional experience and previous qualifications.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent, plus relevant work experience.

* Students entering the degree with a relevant academic qualification or relevant professional experience may be eligible to reduce the full-time duration from 2 years to 1 year. Visit our website for more information.

Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence (Professional)

The Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence (Professional) extends the Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence by providing students with the opportunity to further broaden their knowledge through wider studies in information technology. If you have previous qualifications in a related background we suggest you apply for this degree.

Course information

Course code: S737
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

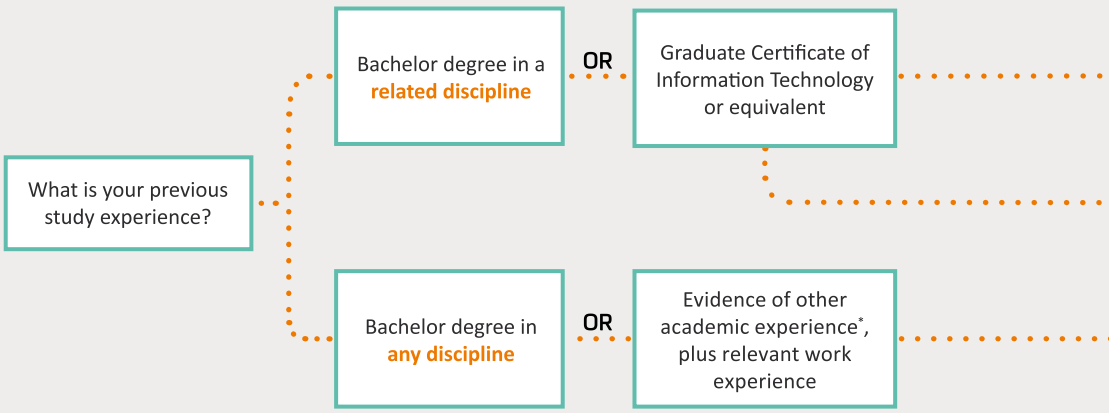
- 10 core units
- 2 course-grouped elective units
- 4 credit points from a specified list
- 0-credit-point unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in related discipline, OR
- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology or equivalent.

Choosing the right degree

For both of Deakin's artificial intelligence and cyber security postgraduate degrees we offer a standard and professional stream. The degree you choose will depend on your previous study experience.



* Other academic experience must be judged by Deakin University to be equivalent to a bachelor degree

Master of Cyber Security

Deakin offers two postgraduate cyber security programs, and both allow you to gain the skills to understand cyber issues and ways to identify, diagnose and resolve these issues.

Replicate cyber attacks

Deakin's cyber security learning spaces use specialised software to enable practice of real-world cyber attack and response scenarios. You will get the chance to reflect on the need for cyber security in a working environment, and the various solutions that might apply.

Identify, diagnose and analyse

By studying cyber security at Deakin you will become skilled in identifying, diagnosing, analysing and handling the challenges of:

- computer crime and digital forensics
- evaluating software for security vulnerabilities
- performing risk assessments
- designing and securing operating systems, networks, websites and databases
- responding to cyber security incidents
- integrating security requirements into new developments.

Master of Cyber Security

Cyber attacks occur everyday, and cyber security professionals who can protect organisations from such threats are in high demand. The Master of Cyber Security gives you the cyber security skills that are crucial to the success of our digital future, focusing on a range of studies, from system security and digital forensics to analytics and organisational security.

Course information

Course code: S734
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: WP
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, depending on your professional experience and previous qualifications.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in any discipline, OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent, plus relevant work experience.

Exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Cyber Security
- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology
- Graduate Diploma of Cyber Security

* Students entering the degree with a relevant academic qualification or relevant professional experience may be eligible to reduce the full-time duration from 2 years to 1 year. Visit our website for more information.

Master of Cyber Security (Professional)

The Master of Cyber Security (Professional) will give you a solid understanding of cyber security concepts and industry practices, as well as the techniques and tools available to prevent and mitigate cyber security threats. You will also have the option of undertaking a research project or a work placement as part of your degree.

Course information

Course code: S735
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 10 core units
- 2 course-grouped elective units
- 4 credit points from a specified list
- 0-credit-point unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in related discipline, OR
- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology or equivalent.

Exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Cyber Security
- Graduate Diploma of Cyber Security

Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence (Professional)

Master of Cyber Security (Professional)

Master of Cyber Security OR Master of Applied Artificial Intelligence

Master of Data Science

Course information

Course code: S777
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, depending on your professional experience and previous qualifications. The course is structured in three parts:

- Part A. Fundamental Data Analytics Studies (4 credit points),
- Part B. Introductory Data Science Studies (4 credit points), and
- Part C. Mastery Data Science Studies (8 credit points).

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline; OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Exit option

- Graduate Certificate of Data Science
- Graduate Certificate of Data Analytics

* Students entering the degree with a relevant academic qualification or relevant professional experience may be eligible to reduce the full-time duration from 2 years to 1 year. Visit our website for more information.

Course overview

Do you want to become invaluable to businesses and governments around the world? Learn how to extract insights and value from big data by studying data science at Deakin.

Modern organisations are placing increasing emphasis on the use of data to inform day-to-day operations and long-term strategic decisions. Deakin's Master of Data Science degree equips you with skills in data engineering, statistical modelling, and building machine learning solutions. In addition to these essential foundations, you will also be exposed to cutting-edge techniques, such as deep learning – a machine learning technique that teaches computers to learn by example.

This degree prepares you for professional employment across all sectors. The sheer volume and complexity of data already at the fingertips of businesses and research organisations gives rise to challenges that must be solved by tomorrow's graduates. Become a data science specialist capable of using data to gain insights and support decision making.

Accreditation

Deakin's Master of Data Science is accredited by the Australian Computer Society (ACS), offering you national and international recognition.

Among the best

Deakin is ranked in the Top 1% universities worldwide for Computer Science and Information Systems by QS World University Rankings.

Master of Information Systems

Course information

Course code: M722
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 12 core units
- 4 elective units
- 2 zero-credit-point academic integrity and induction units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of Information Systems

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.

Course overview

The discipline of information systems focuses on digital transformation, or proposing technology that is suitable for revolutionising the way organisations capture, analyse and strategically use information in the business environment. Deakin's Master of Information Systems focuses on the strategic use of information in business, supported by an understanding of specific areas of information systems, particularly information security, supply chain management and project management. You will learn about stakeholder analysis; identification of business needs, problems and opportunities; negotiation; and implementing solutions.

How are information technology and information systems different?

Information technology is a hands-on discipline that uses different tools, processes and methodologies to develop solutions and address problems using technology. Information systems is the business side of technology. It focuses on the way people and organisations use technology to improve strategic decision-making and enhance operational effectiveness in modern businesses and governments.

Accreditation

Deakin's Master of Information Systems is accredited by the Australian Computer Society (ACS), offering you national and international recognition.

Career opportunities

Opportunities exist for information systems graduates in roles such as:

- business analyst
- data analyst
- digital transformation officer
- e-Buisness specialist
- ICT consultant
- information systems manager
- security analyst
- solution architect
- systems analyst.

Master of Information Technology

Whether investigating cyber attacks or identifying hidden patterns in big data, Deakin's IT programs provide the skills and knowledge for an exciting career.

The latest resources

Deakin IT students have access to the latest software technology in fully-equipped computer labs. The Robotics and Internet of Things (RIoT) lab has computing, robotics and cyber-physical systems. You will also have access to professional software products, such as programming IDEs and games engines.

Specialisations

Data analytics B C
Networking B
Software and services development B C
Cyber security B C
Virtual reality B

Related programs

- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology
- Graduate Diploma of Information Technology

Professional accreditation

Deakin's information technology degrees are professionally accredited by the Australian Computer Society (ACS).

Master of Information Technology

This program will prepare you for a successful career as an IT professional. Choosing from a range of specialisations, you can tailor your degree to suit your career aspirations. Continuous consultation with industry ensures that this program remains relevant.

Course information

Course code: S778
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including:

- 4 core units
- 4 units from a specialisation
- 4 course-grouped elective units
- 0-credit-point unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline, PLUS two years relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent), OR
- Other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Exit option

- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology
- Graduate Diploma of Information Technology

Master of Information Technology (Professional)

This course aims to extend the skills obtained in the Master of Information Technology by providing you with the opportunity to undertake a trimester of industry-based learning (work experience) or a trimester-long research project under the supervision of our internationally-recognised research staff. This provides an opportunity to gain the practical skills to ensure you are ready for the workplace.

Course information

Course code: S779
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$36,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 4 core units
- 4 specialisation units
- 4 course-grouped elective units
- 0-credit-point unit
- Plus a choice between a work placement or research project (totalling 4 credit points)

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in related discipline, OR
- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology or equivalent.

Exit option

- Graduate Certificate of Information Technology
- Graduate Diploma of Information Technology

Master of Laws

Course information

Course code: M726
Years (full time): 1
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$41,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points, including:

- 4 core units
- 4 elective units from a specified list
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Honours degree or equivalent in the same discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree or equivalent in the same discipline PLUS two years relevant work experience.

Course overview

Deakin's Master of Laws focuses on international commercial law and corporate regulation. It will equip you with knowledge of important areas of the Australian and international legal systems and recent professional practice developments. The program covers new developments in major areas of human activity (health, financial services, corporate governance), and increased regulation in traditional areas (dispute resolution, human rights, tax) to prepare you for an advanced legal career. It also develops research, analytical, evaluative and communication skills.

Career opportunities

Graduates of the Master of Laws program can go on to find positions in areas such as:

- regulation bodies
- corporate law, corporate governance and tax advice for both small and medium sized business and also for larger corporations
- teaching and academic positions.

Venture law clinic

Deakin Law School offers opportunities to gain extra legal experience through its Venture Law Clinic. The clinic enables students to turn classroom theory into practice through unique practical learning. Under academic supervision, you can work with real clients and have the opportunity to interview entrepreneurs, conduct research in order to solve problems, and provide advice with practicing lawyers.

Through the clinic, you will put your commercial or regulatory knowledge to the test in exciting real-world scenarios. It is your chance to develop your skills to enhance your career position and build confidence in the knowledge acquired through your degree.

Highly ranked

Deakin's law programs are ranked in the Top 100 universities worldwide by ShanghaiRankings. This means your Deakin law degree will be respected by employers, providing you with better career opportunities upon graduation.

Doctor of Medicine (MD)

Course information

Course code: H911
Years (full time): 4
Campus: WP
Intake: M1*
2021 annual fee: A$73,000
IELTS score: 7/7

Structure

32 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Relevant bachelor degree completed no more than 10 years before the course commencement date, with a final GPA (weighted) of 5.0 or greater on a 7.0 minimum GPA scale, AND EITHER:
- GAMSAT: A minimum score of 50 in each of the three sections of the GAMSAT, and an overall score of 50 or greater, OR
- MCAT: A score of 125 or greater in each of the four sections of the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT). The score on the MCAT or GAMSAT must be obtained in the two years preceding the year of application, PLUS
- Successful completion of an interview.

Related programs

Bachelor of Vision Science/
Master of Optometry

* The Doctor of Medicine operates on a medicine semester system.

Course overview

Studying an MD at Deakin prepares you for a career in all areas of medicine. It is a four-year program for students wishing to qualify as medical practitioners. With a rural and regional medical focus, you will learn about anatomy, physiology and pathology, plus clinical procedural skills, public health issues and managing chronic diseases. There is also a focus on the early development of clinical, communication and procedural skills; diagnosis and management of chronic diseases; and multidisciplinary teamwork.

The themes of the Deakin MD

Our Doctor of Medicine has four major themes that underpin your study across the four years of the course:

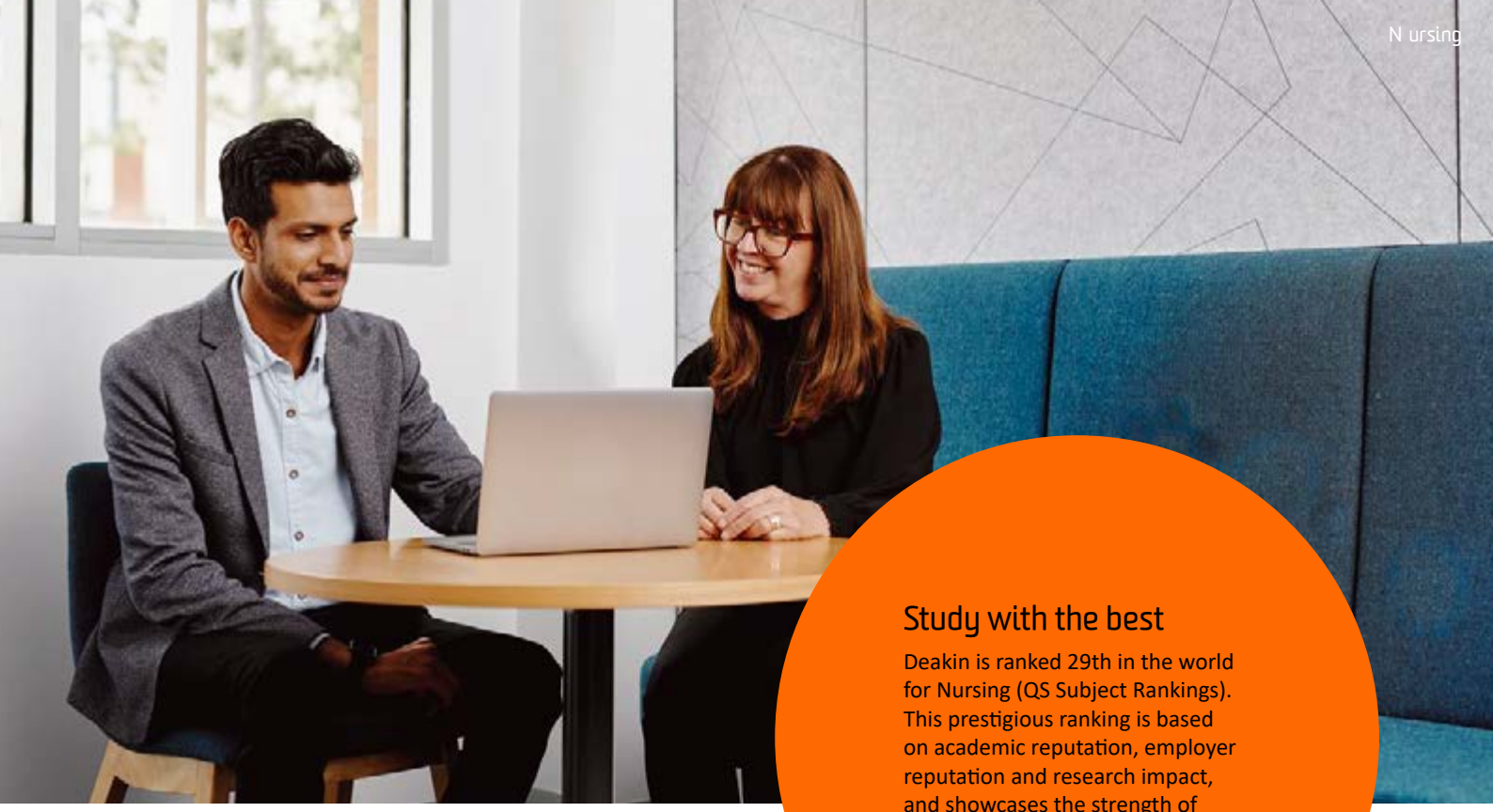
- **Medical Science and Clinical Practice:** The biological and behavioural sciences underpinning the practice of medicine, along with the skills required for effective person-centred healthcare practice.
- **Public Health Medicine:** Healthcare from a community and societal perspective, encompassing epidemiology, population health, health systems, and the ways in which healthcare practitioners can support better health outcomes from the individual to the global scale.
- **Ethics, Law and Professionalism:** The foundational and applied concepts required for the ethical basis of health, the social and legal frameworks of medicine, and the professional practice of medicine.
- **Indigenous Health:** The physical, mental, social and cultural aspects of health, from an Indigenous perspective.

Clinical placements

You will study at Deakin's Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus for the first two years, learning through problem-based seminars and practical classes. You will have clinical exposure in laboratories, hospitals and other health services. During Year 3 most students undergo intensive clinical training within health services based at public and private hospitals and general practices in Geelong, Warrnambool, Ballarat or Melbourne. A small cohort will attend Deakin's Rural Community Clinical School (RCCS), where they will be based in general practice clinics in South West Victoria. In Year 4, students continue clinical training within the health services, complete the research scholar program and finish the year with a capstone pre-internship rotation.

A respected qualification

Deakin's medicine program is among the best in the world at meeting industry demands and is well respected by employers. Deakin doctors are highly sought after for internship positions with healthcare providers in Australia and abroad.



Study with the best

Deakin is ranked 29th in the world for Nursing (QS Subject Rankings). This prestigious ranking is based on academic reputation, employer reputation and research impact, and showcases the strength of Deakin's School of Nursing and Midwifery and its programs.

Master of Nursing Practice

Course information

Course code: H771
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: C*
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$35,200
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including one compulsory coursework unit in research methods, designed to ensure students develop research skills. Students have the option of completing a masters by Minor Thesis or Coursework.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor of Nursing or equivalent, AND registration with AHPRA, with no conditions or restrictions. Applicants must ideally have 12 months recent clinical experience.

* As this course is conducted via the Cloud Campus (online), it does not meet requirements for obtaining a student visa to study onshore.

Course overview

Strengthen your knowledge of nursing and progress your career as a registered nurse. Studying at the masters level will further develop your nursing skills to solve complex problems, think critically, and take on new roles. Deakin's Master of Nursing Practice was designed in response to industry and professional demand to increase the number of masters-qualified registered nurses in the workforce. The program aims to broaden the knowledge and skills of registered nurses who work in a variety of healthcare settings. It recognises that graduates should be able to practise in ways that extend beyond the technical and practical concerns of nursing to include research-based practice. The degree is designed to allow you to choose from a range of study pathways that support your career aspirations in nursing management and governance, and clinical education and leadership.

Aligning course content with industry

The Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education is the first and longest-running course of its type in Australia, and has a unique teaching partnership with diabetes clinicians Australia-wide. This ensures an alignment between the course curriculum and current clinical and evidence-based practice.

Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education

Course information

Course code: H520
Years (part time): 1
Campus: C*
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$24,200
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

4 core units. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree (or equivalent) in a related discipline.

* As this course is conducted via the Cloud Campus (online), it does not meet requirements for obtaining a student visa to study onshore.

Course overview

Develop the skills, knowledge and attributes to educate people with diabetes. As one of the fastest-growing public health issues in the world, diabetes is a field in need of more qualified health professionals and subject matter experts. The Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education is considered a benchmark course in the health sector, preparing health professionals for specialty practice in diabetes education. Teaching staff address both disease prevention and disease management. The degree is solution-focused with the goal of transferring knowledge gained from research findings to inform policy, practice and teaching. On completion of this program, you will be eligible to apply to continue your studies in Deakin's Master of Nursing Practice.

Flexible delivery

The coursework units in this program are delivered on FutureLearn – a highly flexible, easy-to-use online learning platform that connects you with Deakin students and practitioners from all corners of the world.

Master of Dietetics

Course information

Course code: H718
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: B
Intake: S1*
2021 annual fee: A$44,600
IELTS score: 7/7

Structure

12 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

Three-year bachelor degree or equivalent in a relevant cognate area (for example: science, health sciences, nutrition, food science, exercise science, biomedical science, allied health or nursing) completed within the last 10 years.

Students who have completed an undergraduate degree in a relevant cognate area must demonstrate learning in Human Biosciences and Food and Nutrition Science as described below:

- Biochemistry content with Chemistry (0.25 EFTSL^) followed by Biochemistry (0.25 EFTSL^);
- Human Physiology content with Human Biology (0.25 EFTSL^) followed by Human Physiology (0.25 EFTSL^).

Applicants are also required to have completed at least 4 units (equivalent to 4 Deakin credit points) of nutrition and food science study covering content relating to principles of nutrition, lifespan nutrition, diet and disease, and food science.

* Unlike most Deakin courses, the Master of Dietetics operates on a semester system.
^ EFTSL refers to a full-time study load for a single term. 0.25 EFTSL is typically equivalent to two units of study.

Course overview

Help people understand the relationship between healthy eating and the prevention and treatment of illness and disease. The Master of Dietetics will enable you to work in areas such as hospitals, private practice, public health, and sport. It is a professional training program that builds on your undergraduate knowledge in nutrition, physiology and biochemistry to develop skills in dietary management of individuals and groups in both health and disease.

Practical experience

Full-time professional practice placements provide you with hands-on experience in clinical, community and food service settings. You will also develop research and communication skills through group projects and undertake professional and career development through a dietetics-specific professional practice unit.

Professional recognition

The Master of Dietetics is accredited by the Dietitians Association of Australia (DAA). Graduates are eligible for full membership of the DAA and the Accredited Practising Dietitian (APD) program, and to work in all areas of dietetics.

Key industry partnerships

Deakin's nutrition and dietetics research and teaching is done in collaboration with major industry and non-government partners. The School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences also has numerous clinical and community dietetics placement partnerships. These ensure that you have access to some of the largest and most well-respected teaching hospitals in Melbourne.

Over 40 years teaching dietetics

Deakin was one of the first universities in Australia to offer a course in dietetics, and has been proudly offering the Dietitians Association of Australia-accredited courses for more than 40 years.

Master of Human Nutrition

Course information

Course code: H714
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)
2021 annual fee: A$37,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points, including 6 core units, PLUS one of the following options:

Option A:

- Research Practice in Human Nutrition
- 5 elective units*.

Option B (research focus):

- Nutrition Research Project Part A (2 credit points)
- Nutrition Research Project Part B (2 credit points)
- 2 elective units*.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or higher in a related discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree or higher in any discipline PLUS two years relevant work experience, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

- Graduate Diploma of Human Nutrition
- Graduate Certificate of Human Nutrition
- Graduate Certificate of Public Health Nutrition

* Up to 2 elective credit points may be chosen from postgraduate units offered by any faculty of the University (subject to unit rules and approval by the Course Director).

Course overview

Learn the skills to work effectively as a nutritionist in a range of employment settings. Deakin's Master of Human Nutrition draws on multiple disciplines, including food science, physiology, epidemiology, psychology and sociology. You will develop an advanced understanding of the role of nutrition and diet in the health of individuals and the population. You will also learn about the biological, social and policy-related aspects of human nutrition, along with skills to evaluate the findings of human nutrition studies and undertake research.

In this degree you can choose from a diverse range of 13 different electives, giving you the ability to pursue topics that align with your interests and career goals. You will also gain experience in either quantitative or qualitative methods by completing a research project, giving you a thorough overview and understanding of the research process.

Professional recognition

As a Master of Human Nutrition graduate, you may be eligible for registration as an associate nutritionist through the Nutrition Society of Australia (NSA).^ Following three years of relevant work experience, associate nutritionists are able to apply for registered nutritionist status.

^ Registration with NSA does not authorise registrants to obtain provider numbers with Medicare or private health insurers.

Master of Nutrition and Population Health

Course information

Course code: H748
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$37,400
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or higher in any discipline, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Course overview

If you are interested in helping communities through improved nutrition, this is the degree for you. Advance your qualification and equip yourself with the skills and knowledge required to work across a range of government, industry and community health sectors, with a focus on nutrition and how it relates to public health.

This advanced degree draws content from related disciplines, such as public health, food science, biochemistry, physiology, epidemiology, psychology, sociology, and politics and policy. You will complete 16 diverse units, and will develop an understanding of the biological, social and policy-related aspects of human and public health nutrition.

Accreditation

As a graduate of this program you may be eligible for registration as an associate nutritionist through the Nutrition Society of Australia (NSA).* Following three years of relevant work experience, associate nutritionists are able to apply for registered nutritionist status.

Career opportunities

Graduates can become qualified nutritionists who design, coordinate, implement and evaluate a range of population nutrition interventions to improve the wellbeing of individuals, communities and the population as a whole. You may find opportunities in a wide range of nutrition positions in government departments, non-government organisations, community sector agencies, the food industry and private consulting.

* Registration with NSA does not authorise registrants to obtain provider numbers with Medicare or private health insurers.

Psychology

To gain registration as a provisional psychologist, you need to complete four years of academic study in psychology that is recognised by the Psychology Board of Australia. This typically consists of an approved three-year undergraduate psychology sequence followed by an approved fourth year of study, such as Deakin's Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced) or honours in psychology.

You can then apply for provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia and associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society. To go on to pursue general registration to be able to practise as a psychologist, provisional psychologists must then complete a minimum of two years of further study – either a masters or doctorate in psychology.

Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced)

If you are a psychology graduate, undertake an additional year of study to get registered as a provisional psychologist. Successful completion of this course means you may seek provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia and associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society (once you have met the requirements of the Psychology Board of Australia). You will learn advanced skills in research design, implementation, analysis and reporting, as well as developing your understanding of professional responsibilities, standards of performance, and ethical issues.

Course information

Course code: H650
Years (full time): 1
Campus: B WF
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$34,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

8 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree (with an APAC accredited three-year major sequence in psychology) with a minimum of a mid-credit (65%) in a level-three psychology Research Methods unit and a minimum average of 65% over all level-two and level-three psychology core units, OR
- A Foundation Level One APAC accredited psychology course or equivalent (for example: a 3 year bridging course – Graduate Diploma of Psychology) with a minimum of a mid-credit (65%) in a level-three psychology Research Methods unit and a minimum average of 65% over all level-two and level-three psychology core units.

Further studies

- Master of Psychology (Clinical)
- Master of Psychology (Organisational)
- Doctor of Psychology (Clinical)

Graduate Diploma of Psychological Science

This degree allows students with an undergraduate degree in another discipline to fast-track their journey towards a career in psychology, without having to undertake another three-year undergraduate psychology course. You will explore human behaviour, social development, the human mind, child and adolescent development, psychopathology, and much more. Graduates who choose not to undertake the further study required for general registration as a psychologist are still highly employable in a variety of settings and roles.

Course information

Course code: H603
Years (full time): 1.25*
Campus: B WP
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$34,600^
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

10 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in any discipline.

Further studies

- Master of Psychology (Clinical)
- Master of Psychology (Organisational)
- Doctor of Psychology (Clinical)
- Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced)

* This degree is an accelerated full-time program delivered over three consecutive trimesters. This means you will study three trimesters in the one year.
^ The 2021 course fee is for 10 credit points over three trimesters of full-time study in a single calendar year.

Learn from the best

Deakin's psychology programs are ranked in the Top 200 of universities worldwide by QS. That means we are in the Top 1% in the world, so you can be confident that your Deakin psychology degree will be respected by employers.

Your Deakin pathway options

If you have already completed an approved three-year bachelor degree in psychology and are looking to go on to complete an additional fourth year of psychology study to pursue provisional registration, Deakin's Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced) is for you. If you have already completed a degree in another area of study and now wish to pursue psychology but do not want to start another three-year degree, Deakin's Graduate Diploma of Psychological Science is the degree for you. This program will enable you to fast-track your psychology studies and complete the equivalent of a three-year psychology degree in just three trimesters of study. You can then go on to complete your fourth year of study before progressing to postgraduate study in pursuit of general registration.

Master of Psychology (Clinical)

Be ready for a career in psychology and become a specialist in the diagnosis and treatment of psychological and mental health conditions. Deakin's Master of Psychology (Clinical) was designed in consultation with industry partners, and is based on an integrative approach to clinical psychology that emphasises evidence-based practice.

Course information

Course code: H750
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B WF
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$37,000
IELTS score: 7/7

Structure

16 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

Four-year tertiary program with a psychology major from an APAC accredited program completed in the last 10 years with a minimum of a Honours 2A average or equivalent, AND eligibility for registration as a provisional psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia. Applicants with international qualifications must have these assessed as equivalent by the Australian Psychological Society.

Professional recognition

On completion of this course, graduates may apply to the Psychology Board of Australia for registration as a psychologist and to the Australian Psychological Society (APS) for full membership. To obtain endorsement in the clinical area of specialisation, graduates are required to complete a two-year registrar program and fulfil professional development requirements (after registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia).

Master of Psychology (Organisational)

Work with organisations, teams and individual employees to improve their performance and increase effectiveness in the workplace. Through Deakin's Master of Psychology (Organisational) you will have the ability to analyse organisations and their people, and devise strategies to recruit, motivate, develop, change and inspire. The program has very strong research, placement and consulting connections with a large number of external organisations. It will equip you with the skills required for accreditation and registration, and for employment in one of the many organisations employing psychologists.

Course information

Course code: H752
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$37,000
IELTS score: 7/7

Structure

16 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

Four year tertiary program with a psychology major from an APAC accredited program completed in the last 10 years with a minimum of a Honours 2A average or equivalent, AND eligibility for registration as a provisional psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia. Applicants with international qualifications must have these assessed as equivalent by the Australian Psychological Society.

Professional recognition

This degree qualifies you to register as a generalist psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia, and for full membership of the Australian Psychological Society (APS). Graduates will be eligible to apply for membership of the College of Organisational Psychologists and endorsement as an organisational psychologist following the completion of an approved registrar program with the Psychology Board of Australia.

Deakin's Doctor of Psychology (Clinical)

Another pathway to obtaining general registration as a psychologist is through Deakin's Doctor of Psychology (Clinical). This four-year degree provides the same coursework elements as the Master of Psychology (Clinical), as well as further opportunities for clinical placements and research.

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Master of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics

Course information

Course code: S772
Years (full time): 2
Campus: WP
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$37,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 7 core units
- 1 elective unit
- 1 eight-credit-point research pathway or industry practice pathway.
- 2 zero-credit-point units relating to laboratory and fieldwork safety, and academic integrity.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in same discipline with a minimum WAM (Weighted Average Mark) of 60%, OR
- Graduate certificate in the same discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline PLUS 3 years relevant work experience

Exit options

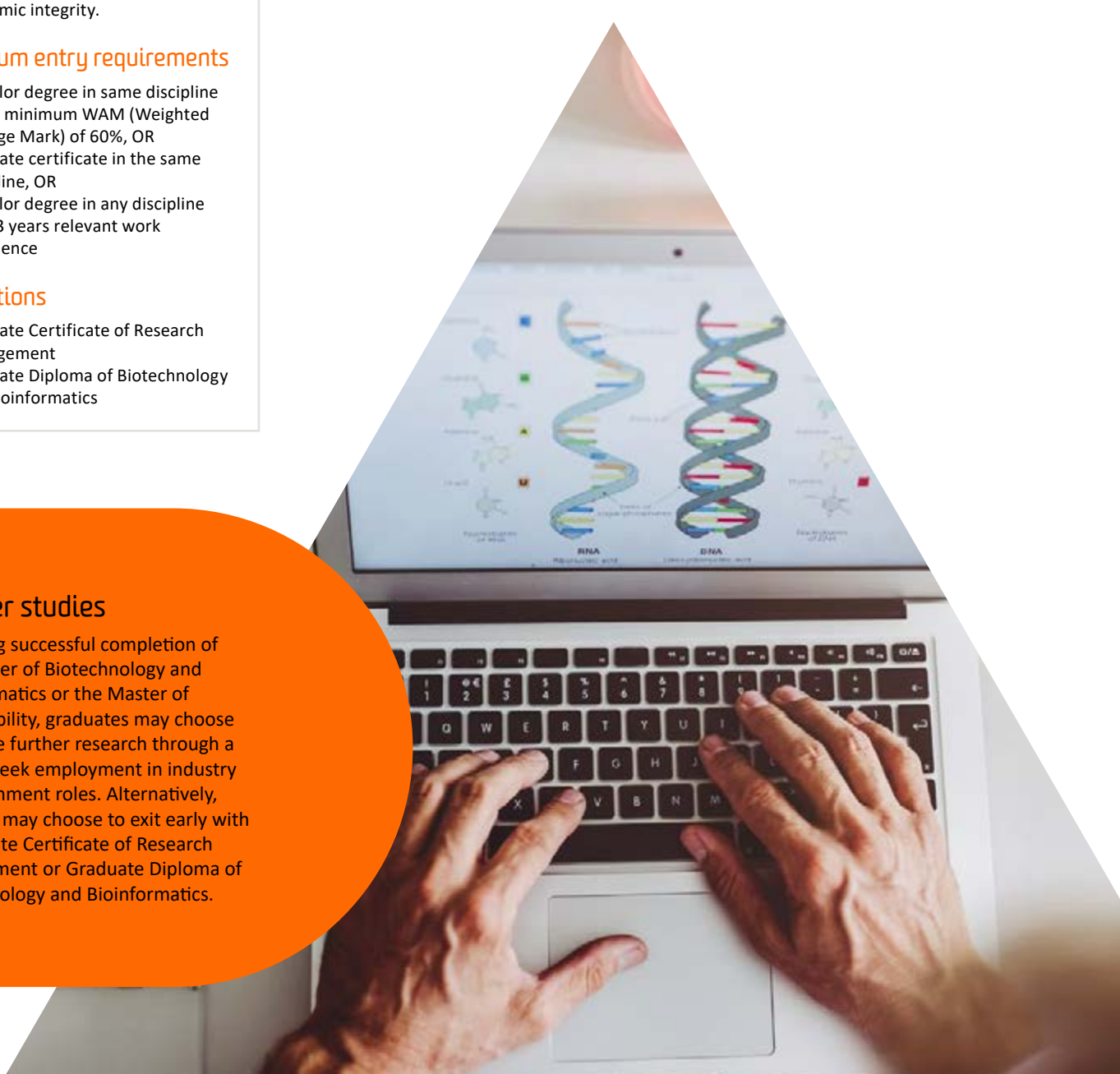
- Graduate Certificate of Research Management
- Graduate Diploma of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics

Course overview

This cutting-edge course provides experience of the latest techniques in biotechnology and bioinformatics research, including up-to-date bio-processing and production technologies. Throughout the Master of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, you will gain experience operating analytical equipment similar to those in industrial-scale production facilities. You will cover a wide range of emerging topics and applications in biotechnology and bioinformatics, in both research and industry settings. In addition, there will be the opportunity to develop valuable research management and business skills.

Industry connections

Industry connections are an integral part of this course. They ensure you will have opportunities to gain an industry perspective and establish professional networks prior to graduation. Industry professionals teach units to provide you with an understanding of industry-engaged research and commercialisation in the biotechnology environment. You will also have the opportunity to participate in site visits and are required to undertake a research project in a biotechnology-related field.



Further studies

Following successful completion of the Master of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics or the Master of Sustainability, graduates may choose to pursue further research through a PhD, or seek employment in industry or government roles. Alternatively, students may choose to exit early with a Graduate Certificate of Research Management or Graduate Diploma of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics.

Master of Sustainability

Course information

Course code: S721
Years (full time): 2
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July)
2021 annual fee: A$37,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

The course comprises a total of 16 credit points, including:

- 2 core units
- 1 four-credit-point specialisation
- 2 elective units
- 8-credit-point research pathway or industry practice pathway
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree in same discipline with a minimum WAM (Weighted Average Mark) of 60%, OR
- Graduate certificate in the same discipline, OR
- Bachelor degree in any discipline PLUS 3 years relevant work experience.

Exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Research Management
- Graduate Diploma of Sustainability

Course overview

With globalisation, population growth and climate change affecting economies around the world, issues of 'sustainability' become increasingly critical to address. Deakin's Master of Sustainability will allow you to specialise in either Environmental Management or Sustainable Regional Development. It has been structured to increase the breadth and depth of your knowledge, and the application of skills necessary to develop and implement sustainability strategies for a range of sectors. You will also have the opportunity to learn to examine environmental impacts and why they occur, and how to develop appropriate solutions to managing these impacts.

Specialisations

Sustainable regional development B C
Environmental management B C

Career Opportunities:

As a graduate of this course you may choose to seek employment in planning (strategic, economic, regional, rural, environmental, statutory), management (including environmental management), policy development, socio-economic or demographic analysis.

Potential employers may include Government with a focus on regional/rural areas (local, state, provincial), economic development, agriculture and forestry, consultancy firms (scientific, planning, engineering, architecture, economic and environmental), statutory authorities such as Regional and Catchment Management Authorities, and Water Boards.

Master of Business (Sport Management)

Course information

Course code: M748
Years (full time): 2*
Campus: B C
Intake: T1 (March), T2 (July), T3 (November)^
2021 annual fee: A$40,600
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

16 credit points, including:

- 10 credit points of core units
- 6 elective units
- 0-credit-point academic integrity unit.

Minimum entry requirements

- Bachelor degree or other qualification in any discipline, OR
- Successful completion of Deakin's Masters Qualifying Program, OR
- Evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.

Related programs

Graduate Certificate of Business (Sport Management)

* A shorter course duration may be available to those who have completed previous studies in a related discipline and/or have relevant work experience. Visit the course page on the Deakin website for more details.
^Intake available at Cloud Campus (online) only.

Course overview

Underpinning the multi-billion dollar sports industry are business professionals who provide direction and leadership to sporting organisations. There are significant opportunities for those who want to work in sport management, whether it is at elite, semi-elite or recreational level. This degree integrates business disciplines such as strategy, financial management, marketing, and development to provide you with effective management and direction skills.

In the global top 20

According to the prestigious SportBusiness Postgraduate Course Rankings 2019 – which has three times named Melbourne the sporting capital of the world – Deakin is ranked number one in Australia and in world's top 20 for sport management education. Graduates of Deakin's Master of Business (Sport Management) also rank in the top five for average salaries three years after graduation, compared to their peers around the globe.

Career opportunities

Graduates of this program find work in a variety of areas, including:

- government departments
- institutes of sport
- major event corporations
- national and state sporting organisations
- professional sport teams and leagues
- sport management and marketing companies
- sporting goods industry.

Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology

Ranked in the world's top 3

Deakin's School of Exercise and Nutrition Science is ranked #3 in the world, and #1 in Australia, for Sport Science by the prestigious ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Sport Science Schools and Departments. These rankings recognise academic excellence and industry-leading research.

World-class facilities

From Deakin's Elite Sports Precinct, to our new $33 million specialised indoor sport and exercise science building, teaching labs, and extensive equipment, our facilities are world-class. They will support your training and help you gain a better understanding of sport science.

Course information

Course code: H743
Years (full time): 1.5
Campus: B
Intake: T1 (March)
2021 annual fee: A$37,000
IELTS score: 6.5/6

Structure

12 credit points. All units are core units.

Minimum entry requirements

Bachelor degree in relevant area with eligibility for Exercise Scientist accreditation from Exercise and Sports Science Australia (ESSA) and completion of 140 hours of exercise science service delivery for apparently healthy clientele.

Course overview

Exercise is known to have a positive impact on chronic health problems, such as cancer or mental ill-health. Study clinical exercise physiology and develop the knowledge and expertise to prevent and treat many medical conditions, injuries and disabilities. As part of Deakin's Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology you will undertake study and hands-on experience in a clinical setting. You will learn in the award-winning Deakin Clinical Exercise Centre, as well as the Baker Heart and Diabetes Institute, where you will develop practical skills under close supervision and mentoring. You will then embark on a range of external clinical experiences designed to expose you to a wide range of patients, practitioners and institutions.

Professional recognition

This was the first course in the Australian state of Victoria to be accredited by Exercise and Sports Science Australia (ESSA). Students are eligible to apply for accreditation as Accredited Exercise Physiologists upon graduation. They are then eligible for a provider number with Medicare Australia and patients can claim the cost of their service through Medicare and private health insurance.

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Geelong Waterfront Campus

Sunday 2 August
9am-3pm

1 Gheringhap Street,
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Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus

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9am-3pm

75 Pigdons Road,
Waurn Ponds Victoria

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